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**HISTORICAL SOCIETY AWARDS** — The Carbondale Historical Society gave preservation awards to: (top) Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll, Burke/Carroll House, 65 Seventh Ave.; (top right) Pleasant Mount Welding, Inc., 45 Dundaff St., accepted by Ed Turano and Chris Duquette; (below) Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis, Tiffany/Davis House, 40 Washington St. Seen presenting the award for the Historical Society is Joseph Pascoe. (Submitted photos)

## Historical Society presents three preservation awards

Every year, the Carbondale Historical Society presents awards for distinguished achievement in historic preservation to the owners of three Carbondale residences or businesses. The awards are presented annually at the Society's annual Christmas dinner.

At this annual gathering last December 13 at Pettinato's Restaurant, S. Robert Powell and Joseph Pascoe presented distinguished achievement awards to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis (Tiffany/Davis House, 40 Washing-

ton Street), Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll (Burke/Carroll House, 65 Seventh Avenue), and Pleasant Mount Welding, Inc., 45 Dundaff Street. Accepting the award for PMWI were Ed Turano and Chris Duquette.

"These awards," remarked Historical Society treasurer Joseph Pascoe, "are our way of recognizing and congratulating individuals and organizations that demonstrate commendable pride in the historic quality and appearance of their residences or businesses."

"We have an extraordinary



architectural legacy here in Carbondale," stated Historical Society president S. Robert Powell. "Every example of successful historic preservation on behalf of that legacy contributes to the quality of life in the community. Such restorations are a win/win situation for everyone - the owners of the buildings, their neigh-

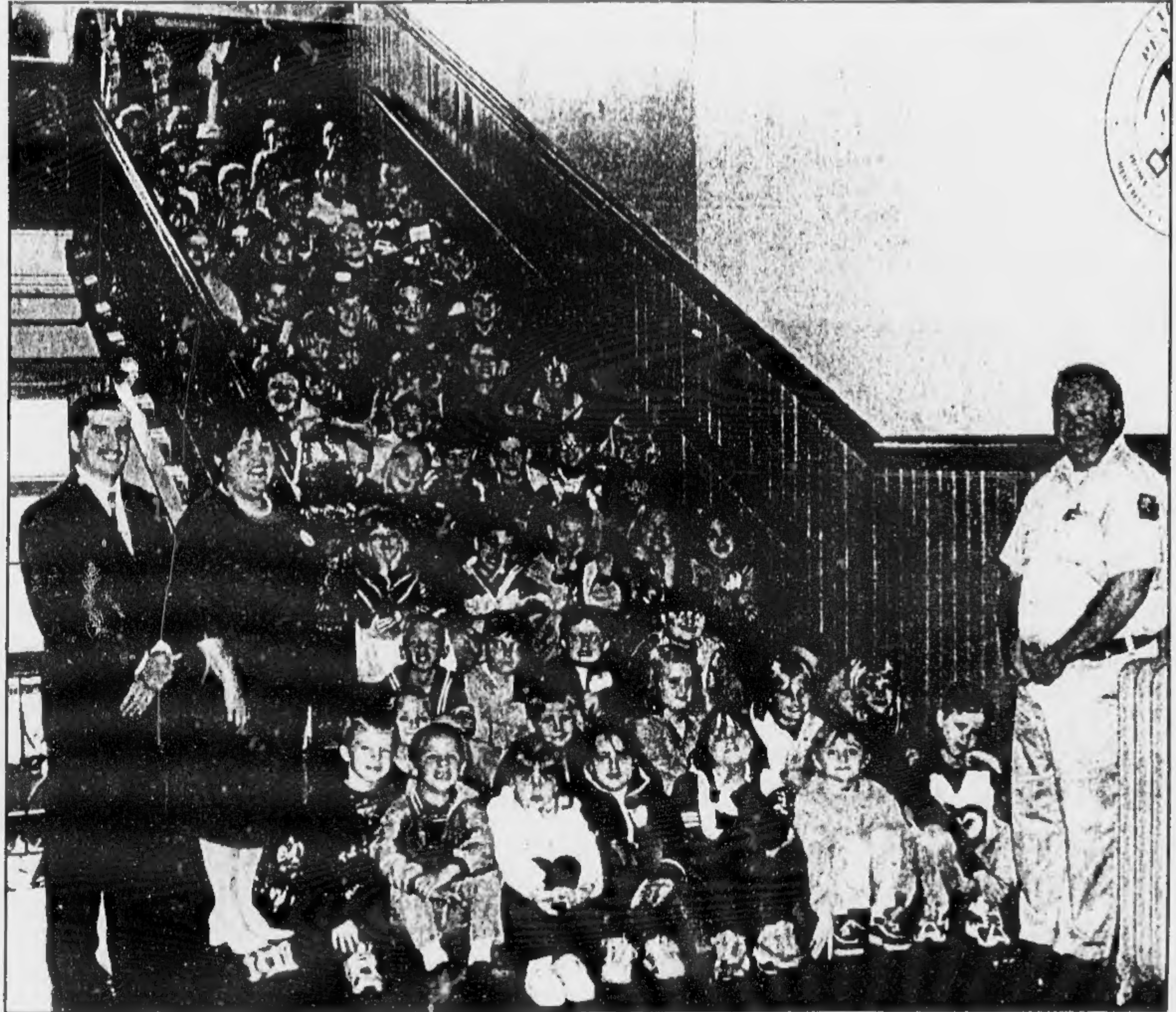
bors, the city as a whole."

The Historical Society is planning to produce an illustrated booklet of photographs and texts about buildings that have been awarded distinguished achievement awards in historic preservation by the Society over the years.



# Carbondale News

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**CITY HALL VISITORS** — Carbondale Elementary School first grade students visited City Hall on Wednesday, May 23, for tours and talks by city officials including (standing left) City Manager Fred Moase Jr. and City Clerk Michelle Bannon, and Mayor John Jordan

(standing right). In addition, Carbondale Historical Society president Dr. S. Robert Powell reviewed the history of the Pioneer City, and demonstrations were given by police and fire department officials.

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# Henry Field's Famous Seeds

## BROOM CORN, Mixed Colors

100 SEEDS

**PLANTING:** Sow seed after the weather is warm and all danger of frost is past. Plant the seeds 1/2 inch deep and 5 inches apart in rows 24 inches apart. Germination should take place in 8-10 days.

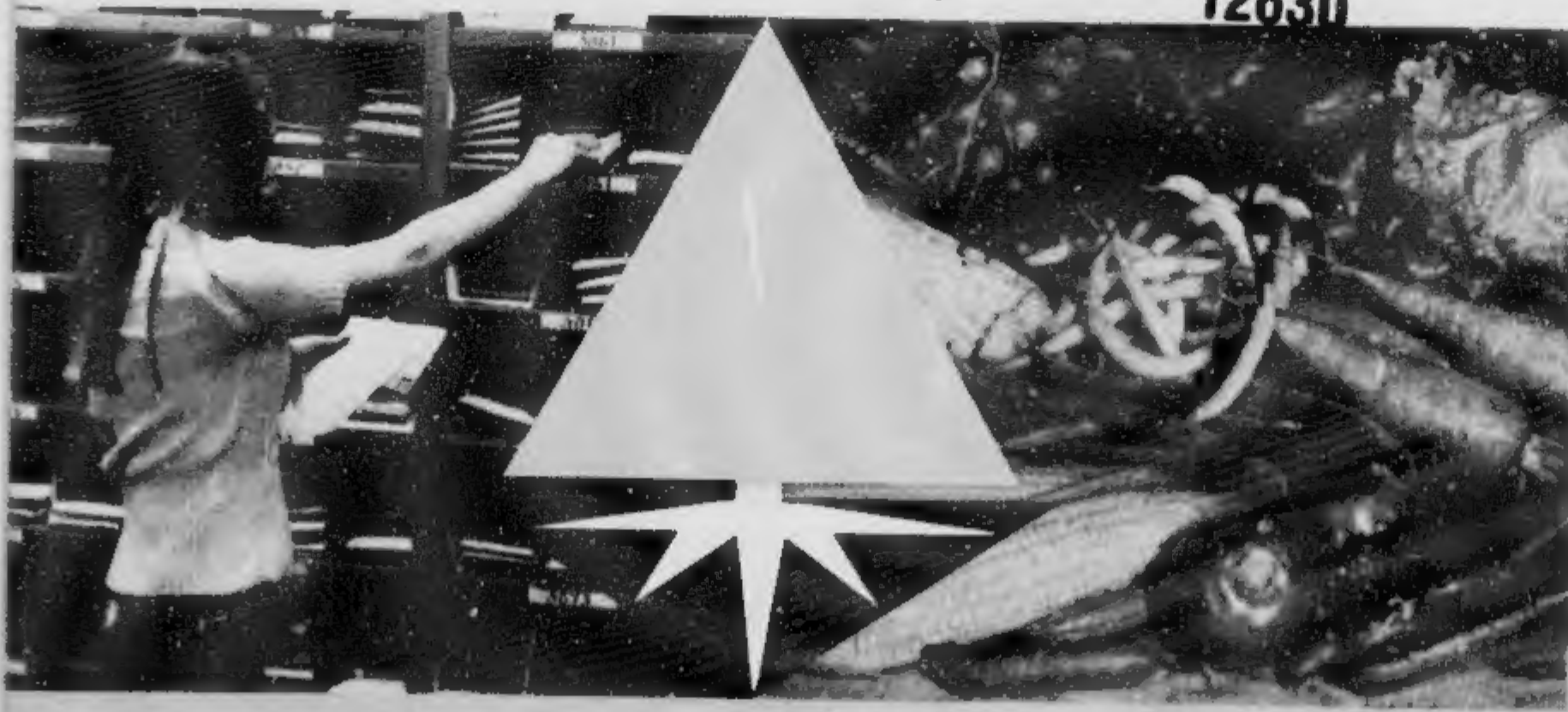
**CARE:** Water well during dry weather and mulch to reduce weeds. After seedlings grow 3-5 inches tall, thin so plants are 10 inches apart.

**HARVEST:** Harvest when plants are in the late bloom stage for broom straw. Cut the top brush leaving 6 inches of stalk below. Dry the brush for about 3 weeks before using it to make brooms. If not harvested for broom straw, the plant will mature, the brush will turn yellow and a seedhead will form. Whole heads make handsome dried flower arrangements and the seeds can also be combed out and used as birdseed.

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### POPCORN, Japanese White Hull-Less

300 SEEDS

**PLANTING:** Sow seed when the weather is warm and all danger of frost is past. Popcorn prefers full sun and rich, well-drained soil. Plant the seeds 1 inches deep and 3-4 inches apart in rows 24 inches apart. Plant in a block of several short rows for better pollination. Germination should take place in 6-10 days.

**CARE:** Water well during dry weather and mulch to reduce weeds. After seedlings grow 2 inches tall, thin so plants are 6-8 inches apart.

**HARVEST:** Harvest after ears have thoroughly dried on the stalk. Husk and store in a cool, dry spot. Do not shell the ears until a sample batch pops satisfactorily. A moisture content of 13% is perfect for popping. Shell and store in an airtight container. This variety produces 3-6 ears on each 4' to 5' foot stalk.

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## Henry Field's Seeds

### ORNAMENTAL CORN, Rainbow

50 SEEDS

**PLANTING:** Sow seed when the weather is warm and all danger of frost is past. Ornamental corn prefers full sun and rich, well-drained soil. Plant the seeds 2 inches deep and 5 inches apart in rows 24-36 inches apart. Plant in a block of several short rows for better pollination. Germination should take place in 6-10 days.

**CARE:** Water well during dry weather and mulch to reduce weeds. After seedlings grow 2 inches tall, thin so plants are 10 inches apart.

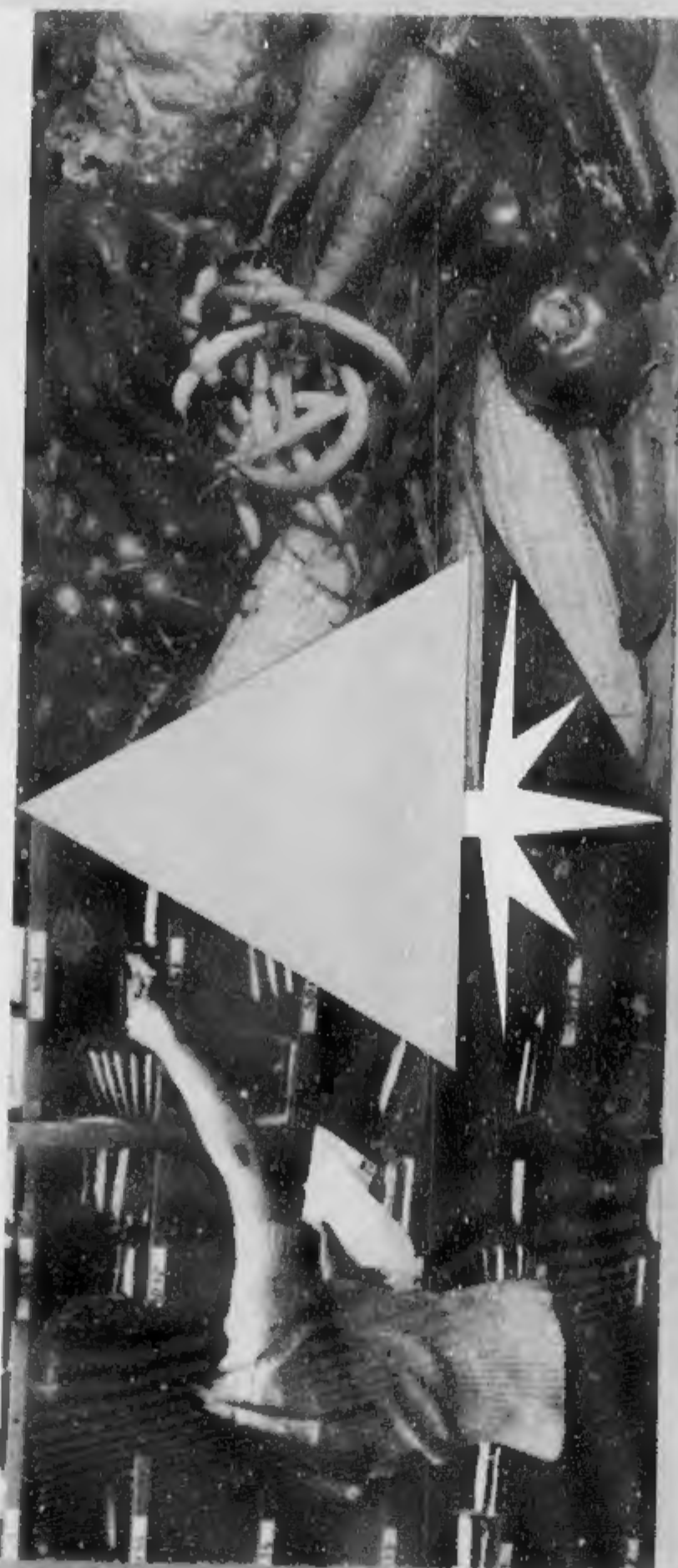
**HARVEST:** Harvest when dry. Fully dry kernels will shatter when struck by a hammer. This variety produces colorful kernels—bright golds, deep reds, blue and purples.


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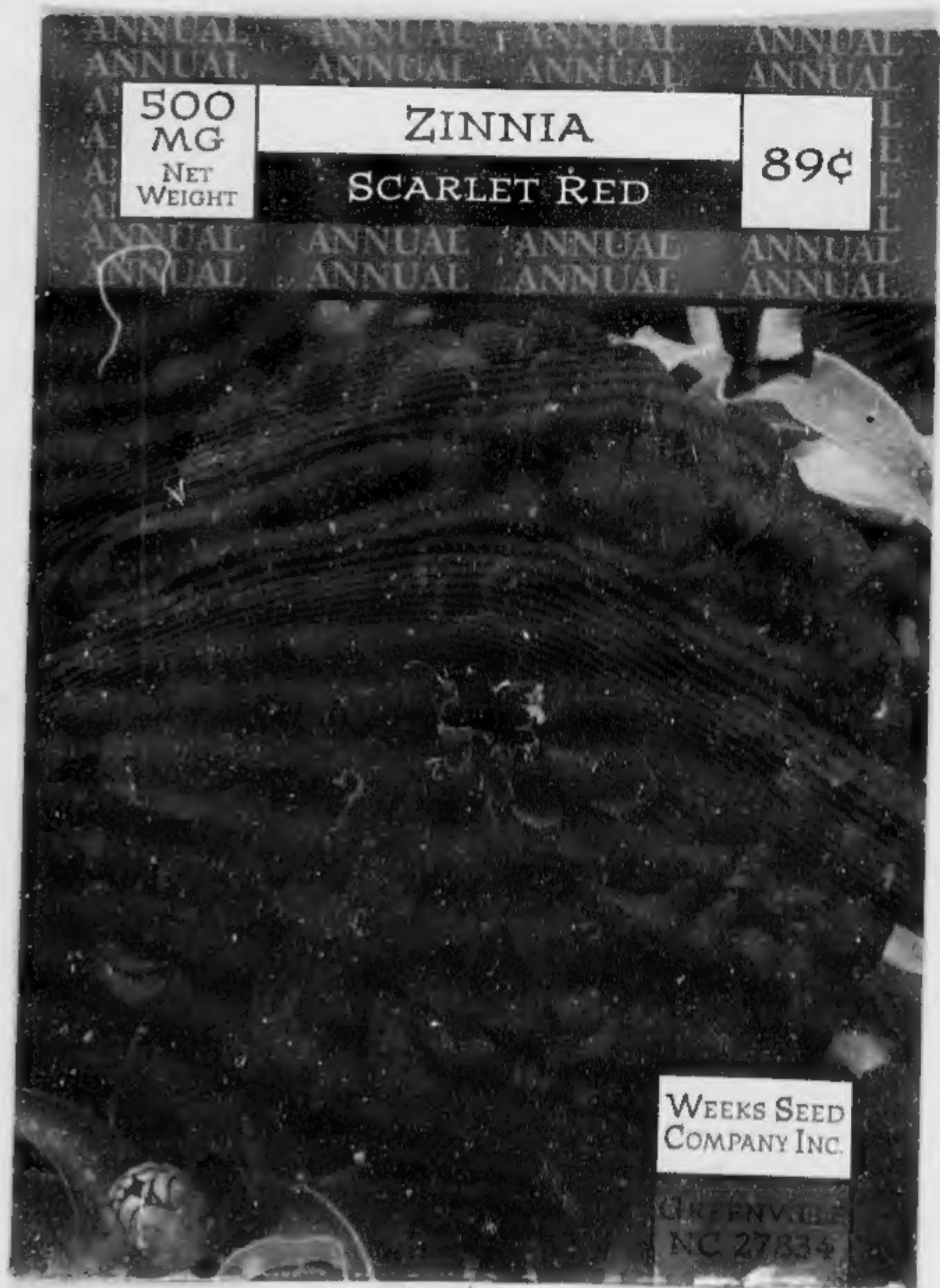


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## Church Tour Set for Saturday

Forty visitors from Scranton and vicinity will arrive in Carbondale by bus on Saturday morning at 10 A.M. to visit Saint Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church, Trinity Episcopal Church, First United Methodist Church, First Presbyterian Church, and Berean Baptist Church.

Persons from the local community who would like to join the tour are asked to be at Trinity Episcopal Church at 10 A.M. on Saturday, May 12. Anyone who would like to order a box lunch, to be served at the Carbondale train station at noon, may do so by telephoning the Historical Society at 282-0385. The cost of the lunch for local residents is \$5.00.

The tour is sponsored by the Lackawanna Historical Society, the Carbondale Historical Society, and the Carbondale Ministerium to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Carbondale. Plans for a second church tour, during which different churches in Carbondale and the surrounding area will be visited, are now being formulated for later in the year.

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*Press release from SRP*



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### **Visitors from Scranton will tour churches**

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## Historical Society May 12 church tour to focus on history and architecture

An architectural and historical tour of five Carbondale churches will take place on Saturday, May 12. The tour is sponsored by the Lackawanna Historical Society and the Carbondale Historical Society and will begin at 10 a.m. at the Trinity Episcopal Church, River St.

The five churches that the group will visit are Trinity Episcopal Church, First United Methodist Church, First Presbyterian and Berean Baptist Church. The tour is part of the year-long celebration of the city's sesquicentennial anniversary of its incorporation on March 15, 1851.



**HISTORIC CHURCHES** — A woodcarving dated 1842 shows some of the earliest churches in what would become the City of Carbondale on March 15, 1851.

Participating in the tour will be 40 out-of-town visitors hosted by the Lackawanna Historical Society, who will arrive by bus in Carbondale at Trinity Episcopal Church, where the tour will begin.

According to Rev. Dale Pepper, president of the Carbondale Ministerium, "Some of the churches of Carbondale are among the oldest in the Lackawanna River Valley, and we are pleased to welcome these visitors to share our rich and diverse ecclesiastical history."

Architect Richard Leonari, a trustee of the Lackawanna Historical Society, will speak on the architecture of each of the churches during the tour. In addition, a local representative from each church will speak on the history of their respective church.

Mary Ann Moran, executive director of the Lackawanna Historical Society, and representatives of the Carbondale Historical Society, including Eleanor Spellman, S. Robert Powell and Joseph Pascoe, will also participate in the tour.

At mid-day, the group from out of town will be served box lunches courtesy of the Ben-Mar Restaurant and McDonnell's Restaurant, at Pioneer City Station. Area residents who would like to have a lunch with the tour can order a box lunch by calling the Carbondale Historical Society at 282-0835. The cost of the box lunch is \$5 for area residents.

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Robert,

Thanks for working  
w/ the LHS on the  
Carbondale Pleces  
of Worship Tour.  
Everyone really enjoyed  
the day & was very  
impressed w/ Carbondale's  
Churches!  
Thanks Again  
Mary H

THE LACKAWANNA HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
THE CATLIN HOUSE  
232 MONROE AVENUE  
SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA 18510



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Yorktown Heights, NY 10598-4202

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The Jackawanna Historical Society

George H. Costlin House

232 Denver Avenue

Scranton, Pa. 18510

Dear Sirs;

5/12 tour

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for a very nice tour of the Churches. I am not from the area but I really learned a great deal. Your tour was very well planned and organized and extremely informative. The idea of having the Architect along was a surprise to me. I go on similar tours in N.Y.C. by the Mural Arts Society but I really enjoyed yours.

I was really surprised to see each priest or minister at each other's church and not only that, were to help each other and try to do business with in the other churches. Some of the priests and ministers sat at the head lunch with us which I think was impressive. The lunch was very well done; thank a lot.

Your side trip to City Hall was a great idea because it had a flavor of the town to an outsider like myself & my wife.



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Mr. Pans did a very nice singing job at the  
Church of Our Lady of L.S. Church. It added a lot of  
interest to a very nice day.

Most of all, the heavy rain held off till the  
ride home.

Again, with a lot

Sig.  
John H. H. H.



## **Carbondale Public Library Board of Directors' meeting**

**Tuesday, May 15, 2001**

The May meeting of the Board of Directors took place on May 15, 2001 at the Library. The meeting was called to order at 7:35 P.M. by president Martin Langan. Present were the following Board members: Mattise, Pascoe, Wallis, Devendorf, Vandenberg, Race, McNabb, Calabro, Brown, Langan, and Powell. The Library Director, Anne Muldoon, was also present.

President Langan formally welcomed Gwen Devendorf to membership on the Board. Introductions and greetings from around the Board table then took place.

The Recording Secretary read the minutes of the Board meeting of April 17, 2001. It was regularly moved (Pascoe) and seconded (McNabb) that the minutes be approved as read. The motion carried.

The treasurer, Pat Calabro, read the treasurer's report for April. It was regularly moved (Race) and seconded (Vandenberg) that the treasurer's report be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

### **CORRESPONDENCE AND COMMUNICATIONS**

Corresponding Secretary Katherine Race read a thank you note from the Matylewicz family for the flowers and memorial donation that the Library sent in memory of Julie Matylewicz Martin who died on April 8, 2001.

The Library Director read the letter of May 4, 2001 from Mary O. Garm, District Consultant, about a workshop, titled "The Librarian's Key to Success: Working Effectively with Your



Board," that is being sponsored by the Osterhout Free Library on June 15 at the East Mountain Inn, Wilkes-Barre. Enclosed in Ms. Garm's letter was a flyer about a workshop geared specifically to library trustees, titled "Unlock Your Board's Potential." This second workshop is also scheduled for June 15 at the East Mountain Inn. A registration form was enclosed.

## COMMITTEES

**Friends of the Library.** Bill Wallis reported that the Friends will sponsor a bus trip to Philadelphia on June 16. The trip, which includes a 3-hour guided walking tour, costs \$35, with an 8 A.M. departure from Carbondale. A second bus trip is scheduled for August 18 to the "sight and sound" theatre at Lancaster, PA, to see a performance of *Noah*. The cost of this second trip, which includes a gourmet dinner, is \$90 per person. A third Friends' bus trip is scheduled for either October 6th or 13th to New York City. This trip will include a trip to the Hayden Planetarium and to the Rose Center for Earth and Space. The bus fare for this trip is \$35. Katherine Race reported that a "Teddy Bear Picnic in the Park" is scheduled for June; also a book and bake sale.

**Building Committee.** Jim Schmidt and Nick Mattisse were recently did some very nice landscaping along the side of the Library building, and the Board complimented them for their fine work. The building committee also reported that the four outside lights at the Library had all been changed recently.

## OLD BUSINESS

**Community Programs.** Robert Powell reported that Attorney Schnessel is looking for an 8 mm. projector to borrow so that he might review the reels of film that he has of the 1951 Carbondale Parade. Katherine Race said that she had one and that she would lend it to Attorney Schnessel. The program on the 1951 parade is scheduled for 7 P.M. on June 21st. President Langan said that he



would provide a cake for the occasion. Robert Powell said that he would arrange for appropriate publicity in *The Carbondale News*.  
**Fund-Raising Committee.** Library Director Anne Muldoon reported that she has received the long-awaited letter from the Governor's office about the approval of the Library's request of \$250,000 to be applied to the mortgage.

### NEW BUSINESS

**For the Good of the Library.** Nick Mattise reported that he phoned Board member Aubrey Staple to offer him a ride to the Board meeting and that Aubrey said that he would not be able to attend tonight's meeting. Nick said that he would offer Aubrey a ride again in May. Nick also reported that there is "tree money" available to libraries to plant trees or perennials on the grounds and suggested that the Carbondale Public Library might look into getting some perennials for the flower beds at the entrance and side of the building. Robert Powell and Joseph Pascoe said that they thought the idea of planting perennials around the Library was a very good idea.

**Mystery Dinners.** Pat Calabro said that it would be a good idea to sponsor another "mystery dinner" this fall, adding that there is the potential for the Library to make \$4,000 if the dinner is held for two nights. The Board will select a date at next month's meeting for the proposed mystery dinner.

With no additional business to conduct, it was regularly moved (Vandenberg) and seconded (Pascoe) that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned at 8:24 P.M.

Minutes prepared and submitted by

S. Robert Powell  
 Recording Secretary





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May 24, 2001

Mr. Robert Powell, President  
Carbondale Historical Society  
One North Main Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

RE: Consultation under 36 CFR Part 800.4  
City of Carbondale CDBG Program

Dear Mr. Powell:

The City of Carbondale is seeking funds for its FY00/01 Community Development Block Grant Program from the Department of Community & Economic Development. Environmental clearance is necessary before grant funds can be utilized by the City. One aspect of environmental clearance is concurrence from your office that the project will have no detrimental effect on any historically significant structures or sites.

The funds will be utilized for sanitary sewer and street reconstruction on Brooklyn Street, North Scott Street, Havana Street. Street Reconstruction on Summit Avenue, Cemetery Street and Cherry Avenue, Housing Rehabilitation, Facade improvements, sidewalk replacement in the central business district and residential areas, lighting at Cerra-Leo Memorial Park, fire equipment acquisition, Pioneer Train Station/City Hall Streetscape improvements, elimination of blight, first time home buyer's assistance, and administration.

In accordance with the provisions of 36 CFR Part 800.4(a), the City has reviewed the published lists of the National Register of Historic Places. Listed on the register is Carbondale City Hall.



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*All other proposed activities will take place in public right of ways and in areas where previous construction has taken place. Therefore, any subsurface remains would have been destroyed due to the original construction.*

*If you disagree with our finding of no effect and have additional information we should consider or have any questions, please do not hesitate to call. If we do not hear from you within thirty (30) days we will assume you agree with our determination and will proceed with the project.*

*Sincerely,*

*John Jordan* 

*John Jordan, Mayor*

*Environmental Certifying Officer*



## WAYMART AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

PO BOX 255--WAYMART PA, 18472

## Spring 2001 Newsletter

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Waymart's Day of Incorporation-April 8, 2001 What a super response! How wonderful that so many turned out for our 150th birthday. It was a cold and windy day but spirits and feelings were high and the celebration was enjoyed by everyone. Thank you to Troop 111, Boy Scouts of America, for supplying the color guard. Carol Bianchi for leading us and keeping us in tune, with the National Anthem. Rev. Leonard Buxton, Calvary U.M. Church, for reading Ecclesiastics 3: 1-8. Mayor John Rollison for his Proclamation and Kurt Reed for giving such an interesting talk on Waymart's history. Thanks to Sandy Boguski for the programs. Jane Varcoe presented a plaque to Grimm Corporation and family for the donation of the Town Clock, a second plaque was given to the Borough to mark the event. Michele Swatchick designed the medallion and plaques. On the plaques were mounted a medallion disk, featuring the face of the clock, stating *Waymart-Established 1851*. The hour hand points to 4, April being the fourth month, and the second hand to 8, the day of the incorporation of the Borough. Pictures were taken by Wallie Robbins and a disk of photos donated by Joe Parker. Also thank you to Paul Campbell, Mary McCarthy and Fred Kennedy for other shots. If you would like pictures we'll be glad to duplicate them for you. Some medallions are still available for purchase at \$5.00 plus \$1.00 for postage.

"Pride and Patriotism Parade "and Day of Heritage-Saturday, June 9, 2001 Plans are formulating and coming together for a united town celebration, from the organizations and businesses, to the community citizens and Society members. There will be a full day of activities starting with the Parade at 11:00 am and the Heritage events, from 1pm to 6 pm. The theme of the parade is our 150 years of Heritage and will feature floats and units emphasizing our past. The afternoon activities will be at our D&H Gravity Depot, the D&H Steam Station, the American Legion, the Masonic and Eastern Star Hall, the fire company, the ambulance company, the flea market, a hay ride to Ladore Lodge and the Asa Stanton grist mill foundation, and the four community churches. A schedule of events will be available and a map. We need **YOU** and 60 more volunteers to be scheduled for two hours at our different sites. Please call or write today. We need you to collect saleable items for our flea market (no clothes please) and you may start bringing them now to be stored at Jane's station.

Delaware & Hudson Symposium--November 16, 17 & 18, 2001 Note: the dates for the symposium have been changed. We are very excited to announce that James Shaughnessy, Delaware and Hudson, Larry Lowenthal, From the Coal Fields to the Hudson and Phillip Ruth Of Pulleys and Ropes and Gear will be speakers.. Jack Gillen from Gillen Coal Company, Kurt Reed and Hank Loftus, curator of the Dorflinger/Syndam Glass museum and others to be announced. The site is still The Salvation Army Ladore Lodge. Plan on attending part or all of this outstanding event! Reservations start in September. You'll receive a special mailing on this event.



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#43 Open Air D&H Gravity Car--Project Manager Rod Brown Good News! The two 32 feet long beams are now in Maryland being cut and soon will be delivered to Waymart. As soon as they arrive the project will begin. If you are a carpenter or a good handyman/woman volunteer to help. Thanks to Fred Birmelin who made enlarged pictures of significant details of Car #43. Though the car won't be done for our June 9th celebration, hopefully it will be finished by our symposium. We are also going to have a wooden shelf sitter made that will be a replica of our car, they will be a limited edition, numbered and available for sale.

Far View Tracks to Trails--Mary Farley The trail development has been slow but is moving forward in its planning stage in the mitigation with the Federal Bureau of Prisons. \$1,100 dollars was realized from the drawing for the support of the Trail, thank you to all who sent their chances back. Winners were: \$25.00 Betty Bunting and Ann Sutor. \$50.00-Roy Thorpe and \$100.00-Charles Herold, Jr. Mary & Ruth Pranzitelli have been attending NE PA Tracks to Trails meetings.

Archivist--Kurt Reed Kurt and Fred are still asking folks to lend their pictures to duplicate and add to our archives for resale of copies. Kurt has plans to place two antique baby buggies in the parade and will have a display of local history items in the steam station.

Thanks for the Following Gary Edwards reported that he has completed the restoration of the pot belly stove that came from our Depot. A float in the parade will depict the waiting room of the Depot with the stove as its central focus.--John Stolarick for a video of the Rededication Ceremony of the Depot in 1998.--Marie Parker for a copy of The Canalawer. -- Fred Kennedy and Paul Campbell for supplying tidbits of history and pictures.--June Rollison for sending a copy of Professor John F. Dooley's obituary.--Homer Keast for some Waymart High Yearbooks.

2001 Memberships Did you see a train stamped on your envelope? If you did, you have not sent in your renewal dues for 2001. We need everyone to be a part of our Society. By keeping the dues to just \$5.00 per individual and \$10.00 for families, you support the many activities of your Society and the fulfilling of our mission to preserve the history of our area.

**THE NEXT MEETING OF THE WAYMART AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY WILL BE  
MONDAY, MAY 28, 2001 AT THE WAYMART AMBULANCE BUILDING--7:00 PM**

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ITEMS FOR SALE TO HELP CELEBRATE WAYMART'S 150TH BIRTHDAY AND SUPPORT OUR SOCIETY

Please add \$1.00 for shipping of each item.

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| 1. The D&H Gravity Plane Slates--\$8.00    | 5. Depot T-shirts--Maroon & Black on Gray \$10 |
| 2. History of Waymart (1976)--\$5.00       | Depot Creme T-shirts-\$8 x and xx large sizes  |
| 3. The D&H Gravity Depot Notepaper--\$4.00 | Some children sizes-white with a black train   |
| 4. D&H Suncatchers-assorted colors--\$5.00 | 6. Town Clock Medallion Ornaments--\$5.00      |



## Carbondale Public Library Board of Directors' meeting

Tuesday, April 17, 2001

The April meeting of the Board of Directors took place on April 17, 2001 at the Library. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by president Martin Langan. Present were the following Board members: Brown, Wallis, McNabb, Vandenberg, Mattise, Langan, Calabro, Miley, Race, Pascoe, and Powell. The Library Director, Anne Muldoon, was also present.

The Recording Secretary read the minutes of the March 26 meeting of the Board. It was regularly moved (Wallis) and seconded (Calabro) that the minutes be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

Pat Calabro read the Treasurer's Report for March. It was regularly moved (McNabb) and seconded (Vandenberg) that the treasurer's report be approved as presented and placed on file. The motion carried.

- **Community Program:** Attorney Ben Schnessel has 8 mm. films of the 1951 Carbondale Centennial parade. If these films can be transferred to the video format, they will be presented as a community program at the Library on June 21. Nick Mattise said that Mary Perrault (876-2843) would be a good person to talk to about this film transfer process. It was also reported that Wegman's can carry out the film transfer. On May 14, Attorney Schnessel told Robert Powell that his 8 mm. projector is not working properly and that he now has to find such a projector so that he can sort through the many rolls of 8 mm. film that he has to find all the 1951 parade rolls so that the transfer process can be completed. Perhaps there is such a projector at the Carbondale Area High School?



- **Finance Committee.** Pat Calabro reported that there has been a snag in re-amortizing the Library's mortgage but that the process will be completed in May. The Carbondale Library has made the April mortgage payment of \$6,592.76, with a balance due of \$369,418. Pat Calabro also reported that she has learned that the Carbondale Library has been named the recipient of \$20,000 under the Leave-a-Legacy program. The Library Director reported that she has been notified by Mark Campbell in the Governor's office that the Library's request for \$250,000, to be applied to the mortgage, has been approved. Marty Langan reported that he has met with the Weinberg Foundation and that the WF will make a donation to the Library. The precise amount of their donation is not yet know. Marty has asked for \$100,000. Marty has also asked PP&L for \$25,000 (they gave us \$15,000 five years ago), Gentex for \$25,000, and Bell Telephone for \$5,000.
- **Moment of Silence.** The members of the Board observed a moment of silence in memory of Julie Matylewicz Martin, the daughter of Board member Father Steve Matylewicz and his wife Maureen, who died on April 8 from injuries sustained in an automobile accident on northbound Interstate 81 in Schylkill county. The Board sent flowers to the Brennan and Brennan Funeral Home as well as a memorial donation to one of the foundations mentioned in the published obituary
- **Opening on Board.** The name of Gwen Devendorf was presented as a candidate for membership on the Board. Ms. Devendorf lives on Pearl Street in Carbondale. She is the Director of Special Education at the Wallenpaupack school; teaches at Marywood University and Wilkes College. Various members of the Board spoke on behalf of Ms. Devendorf's candidacy. It was regularly moved (McNabb) and seconded

(Pascoe) that Ms. Devendorf be invited to become a member of the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Public Library. The motion carried, unanimously.

- **Library Trustees Convention.** Pat Calabro and Katherine Race attended the Library Trustees Convention in Grantsville, PA on April 6-7. KR: "It was a very wonderful experience." Katherine reported that libraries will change dramatically in the future, especially with regard to the internal services offered. Pat Calabro attended a meeting at the Convention on profitable investing for non-profits. More details at the next meeting of the Board.
- **C-Span at Carbondale Public Library.** Marty said that he would invite C-Span to do a program from the Carbondale Public Library.
- **Children's Library.** S. R. Powell reported that he is in the Library for many hours during the week and that he has observed that the children's section of the Library is used a lot by the children of the community. SRP: "It's one of the many outstanding departments in the Library and one that we can be very proud of."
- **National Library Week.** NLW was commemorated at the Library. Among the features of the celebration here were the placement of a banner on the front of the library building. Punch was also served to patrons.
- **Friends of the Library.** Bill Wallis reported that the Friends will sponsor a bus trip to Philadelphia on Saturday, June 16.

With no additional business to be conducted, it was regularly moved (Vandenberg) and seconded (Pascoe) that the meeting be



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adjourned. The motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 P.M.

S. Robert Powell  
Recording Secretary

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May 23, 2001

Ginger and Kathy and Bev:

Some people were on the "up" escalator. Some people were on the "down" escalator. And then Donna passed by. And the clock was ticking. And then people started grabbing styrofoam boxes. And then I saw a priest with trays in his hand. And then Paul passed by. And that was it. On the way home, I wondered: Did I have lunch?

Let's not do that again.

Ginger: Send me your home address and I will send you more detailed information on the 2001 American Poultry Association Art Contest. I am very pleased to learn that you will promote the idea among your students.

Some day soon, after 5 P.M., we should all go somewhere and eat hors-d'oeuvre and drink booze.

Robert



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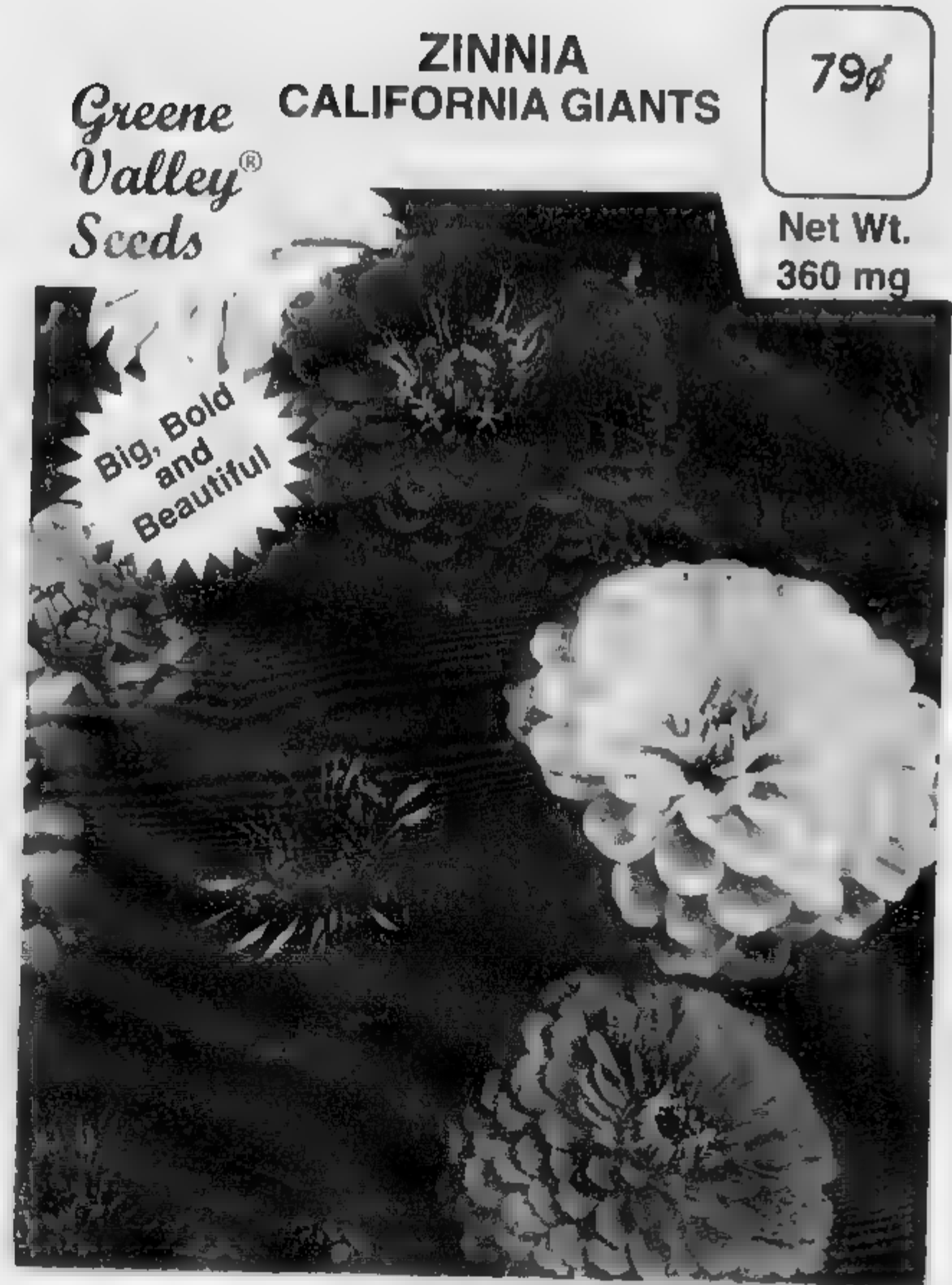
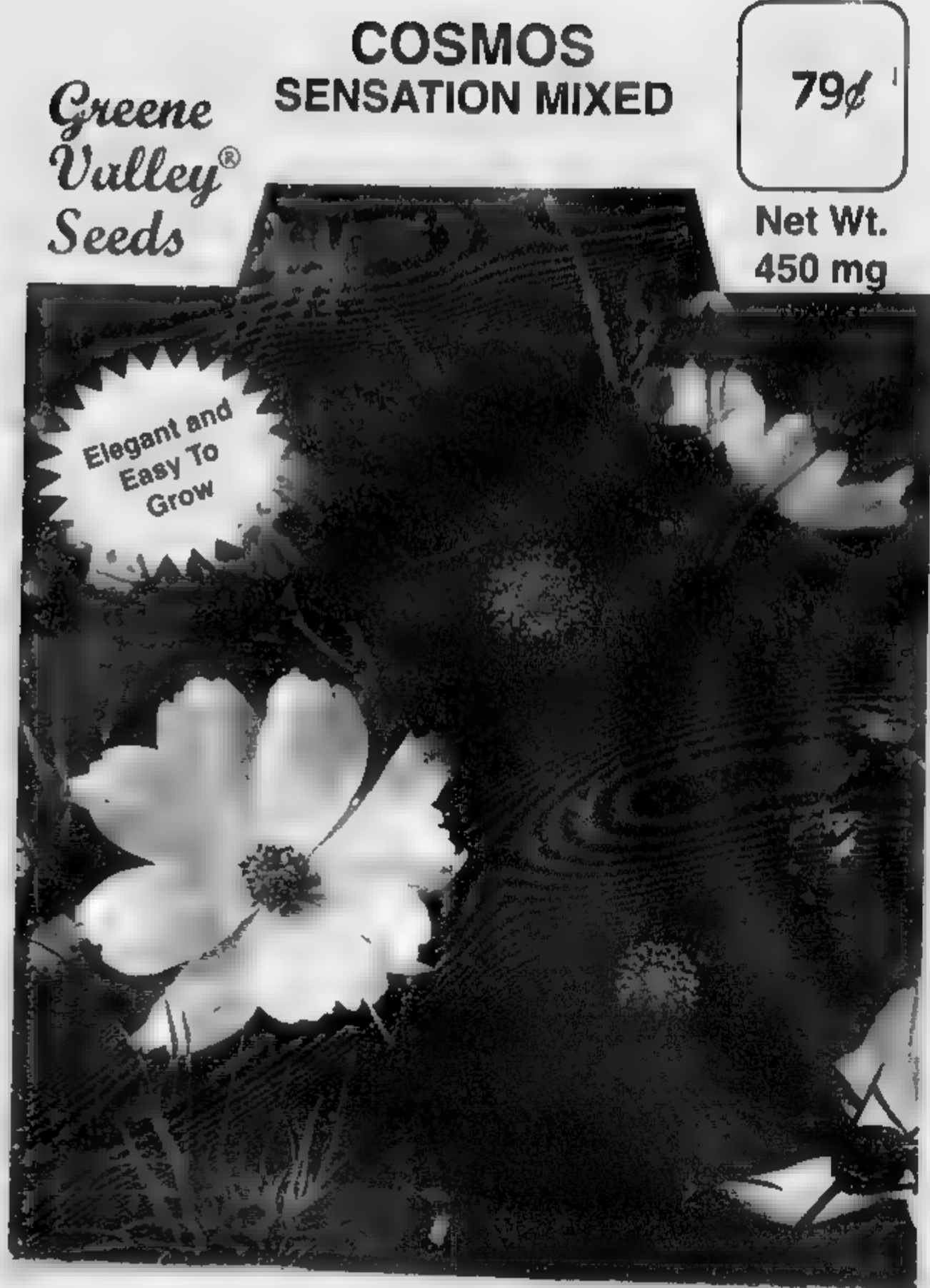
[Previous](#) | [Next](#)[Reply](#)[Reply All](#)[Forward](#)[Delete This](#)[Move This To:](#)[\[Select Folder\]](#) ▼**From:** [vsosik@harcourtbrace.com](mailto:vsosik@harcourtbrace.com) [Add to Address Book](#)[Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)**Subject:** Re: Lunch marathon**Date:** May 29, 2001 8:17:47 AM EDT**To:** [s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)**CC:**

Lunch was disappointing to say the least. However, the food was great as well as the company... the little time that we had. Your right about not doing it again. Next time, it's on the QT.

Here is my address. 628 Cooney St. Dunmore, PA 18512

BTY: You look great and so relaxed. See you soon.

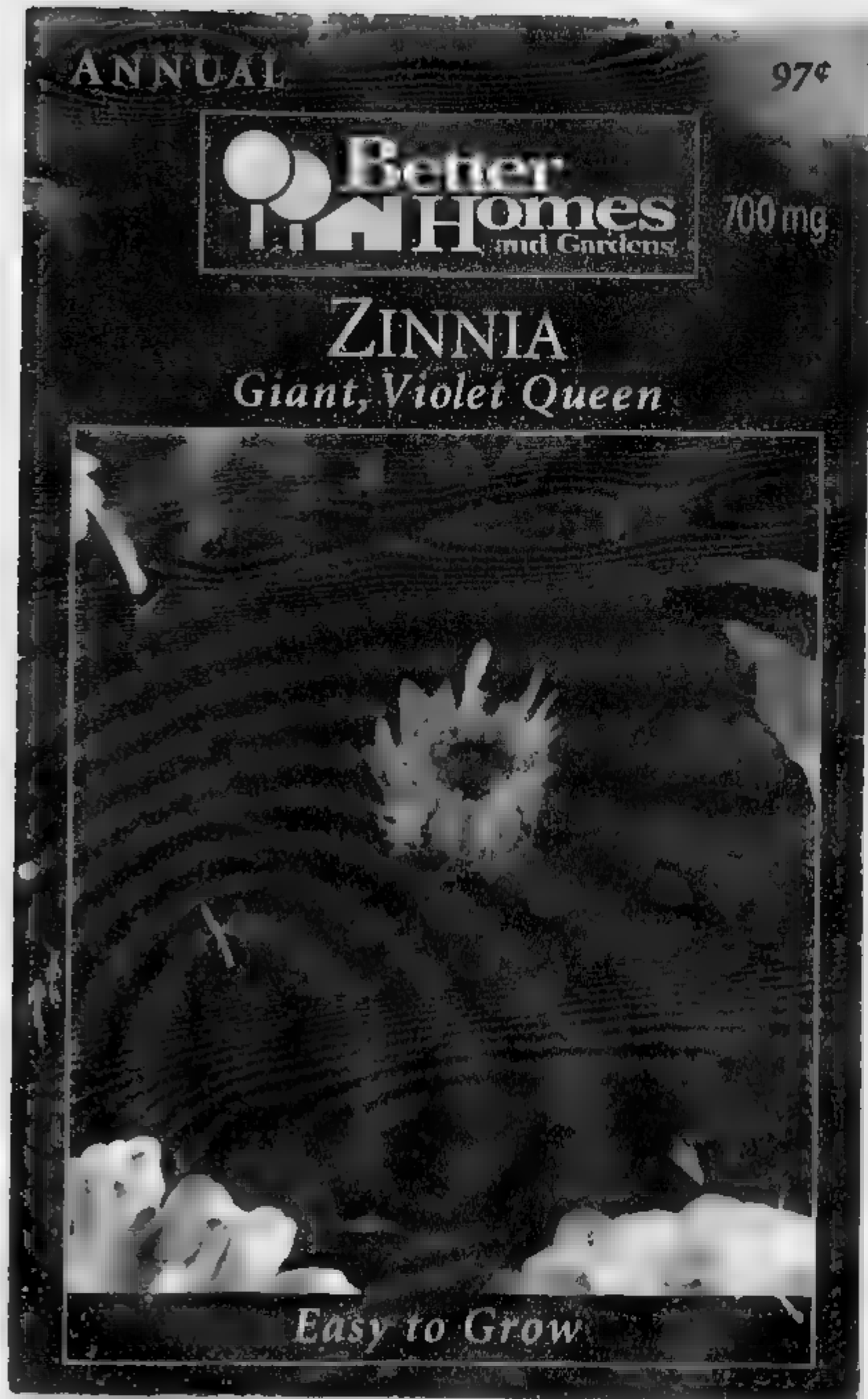
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Two of my favorites.  
Seeds planted early May  
2001.



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5/17/01-- planted more Zinnia seeds today. I want to be overwhelmed with outrageous blossoms later in the summer.

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**APRIL PROGRAM REMINDER:**

***Members-Only***

***Tour of the Watres Armory***  
Sunday, April 22th 2 p.m.  
Watres Armory

***Clean Up Day at the Catlin House***  
Join us as we spruce up the grounds for  
Spring.  
Saturday, April 28th 10 a.m.  
Catlin House

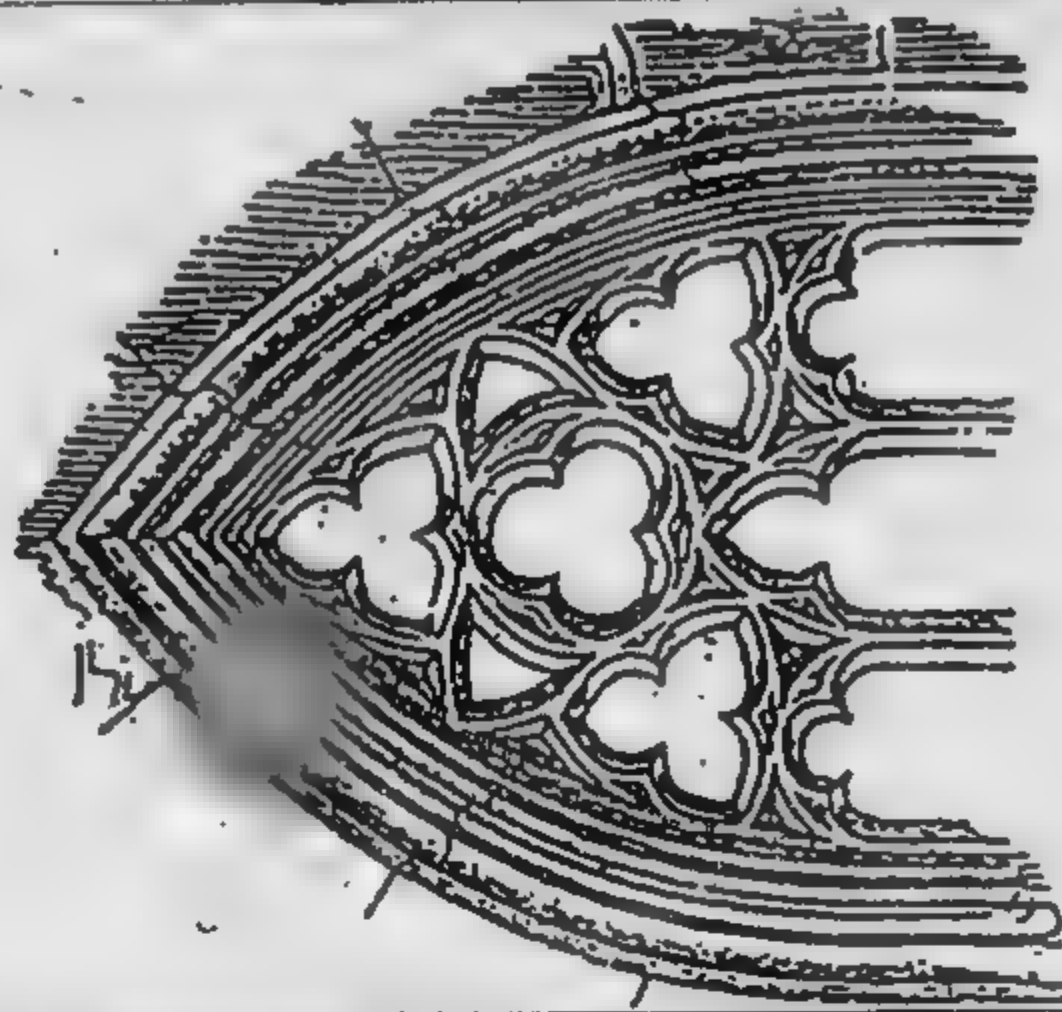
***The Delaware and Hudson Coal  
Company: New Insights  
from the James Archbald Papers***  
by Michael Knies  
Weinberg Memorial Library  
Sunday, April 29th 4 p.m.  
Catlin House

*Town was  
a wonderful  
success,  
about 50  
people.  
We also*

*visited  
Mt. Carmel  
Church.*

Lackawanna Historical Society  
232 Monroe Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18510

**CARBONDALE  
PLACES OF WORSHIP  
TOUR  
2001**



**Sponsored  
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Lackawanna Historical Society  
and the  
Carbondale Historical Society**

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## Carbondale Places of Worship Tour

**Saturday, May 12, 2001  
9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

*Join us as we sample the diverse religious history and architecture of Carbondale in recognition of the city's Sesquicentennial.*

*This year, the walking tour will focus on some the area's earliest places of worship in Carbondale.*

*Historical background will be provided by each church and architectural styles and designs will be discussed by local architect and LHS Trustee, Richard Leonori.*

**\$12.00 members  
\$15.00 non-members  
(includes bus transportation  
and a boxed lunch)**

**Space is limited so reserve early.  
Reservations must be made  
by May 7, 2001  
through the Lackawanna  
Historical Society.  
(see attached reservation form)**

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CALL  
THE LACKAWANNA HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
AT 344-3841.**

### ITINERARY

**9:30 a.m.** Bus departs Catlin House  
232 Monroe Avenue  
Scranton

**9:55 a.m.** Arrive in Carbondale

#### **Tour Stops Include:**

- 1) Trinity Episcopal Church**
- 2) St. Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church**

— Lunch —

- 3) First United Methodist Church**
- 4) First Presbyterian Church**
- 5) Berean Baptist Church**

**4:00 p.m.** Bus returns to Catlin House



#### *Special Thanks*

*S. Robert Powell  
Rev. Dale Pepper  
Mary Ann Gavern  
Richard Leonori, ALA*

**Carbondale  
Places of Worship  
Tour 2001**

### **REGISTRATION FORM**

**\*Please detach and return with your  
payment by May 7, 2001**

**to the  
Lackawanna Historical Society  
232 Monroe Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18510**

**Payment will ensure your reservation.**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number of Persons attending:**

**(LHS or CHS Members) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$12.00**

**(Non-Members) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$15.00**

**(lunch only, no bus) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$7.00**

**Amount Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

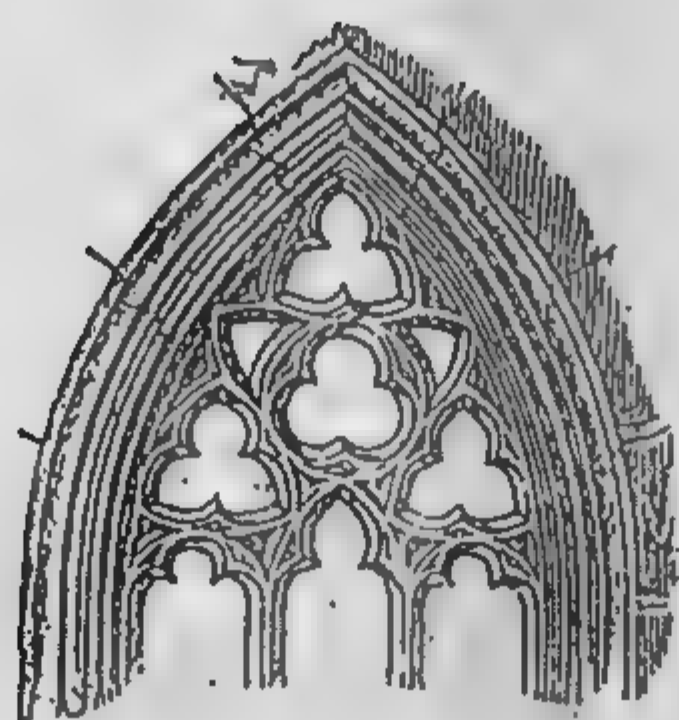
*Make check payable to the Lackawanna Historical Society*

**This event is co-sponsored by the Lackawanna Historical Society and the Carbondale Historical Society in recognition of Carbondale's Sesquicentennial.**

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**CARBONDALE  
PLACES OF WORSHIP TOUR 2001**

Saturday May 12, 2001  
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

*The rich cultural heritage of Lackawanna County is evident in its many places of worship. This tour visits some houses of worship in the county's oldest city, Carbondale. Stops include Trinity Episcopal, St. Rose of Lima, First United Methodist, First Presbyterian, and the Berean Baptist Church. These buildings are a testament to the hard work and hope displayed by the diverse cultures that make our region so unique.*

### **History of Carbondale**

*Carbondale, the county's oldest city, was chartered on March 15, 1851. It was formed out of Carbondale Township which was created from parts of Greenfield and Blakely Townships.*

*When brothers William and Maurice Wurts began mining and shipping coal from an area in the northeastern region of Lackawanna County (then Luzerne County) in 1822, they not only established a major industry in the area but also began to develop settlement in what was then a vast wilderness with not more than a dozen inhabitants.*

*As the Wurts brothers developed their mining interests, they soon realized the need to create a way to transport their shipments to New York. To do this, the brothers formed the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company. Soon, new settlers arrived in the area to take advantage of the employment opportunities at the mines and at the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company. Under the D&H company the Gravity Railroad was completed in 1828, connecting the mines of Carbondale to the outside world. As the population grew, so*



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*too did the city with the establishment of businesses, churches, and schools. By 1829, the town had a post office and was officially called Carbondale.*

*Famed novelist, Washington Irving, who was on the D&H Canal Company's Board of Managers is credited with naming Carbondale. Some of its earlier names included Rixie's Gap, Barrendale, and Ragged Island.*



**Trinity  
Episcopal Church**

*The Trinity Episcopal Church traces its beginnings to 1832 when a Parish of The Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America was chartered in Carbondale. Early services were conducted at the homes of members, then at a building that was shared with the Methodist congregation of the city and later at a school house on South Main Street.*

*In 1842 the first church building was erected on property belonging to the Delaware and Hudson Railroad Company. When the wooden structure was built, plans were made to purchase land from the Railroad but the title was never given to the Parish. In 1898/99 this building was moved to the site of the present Durfee Parish hall to be used as the Parish hall for the newly completed stone church. In 1936, the original building was damaged badly by fire and flood and had to be torn down. The Durfee Parish hall was built in 1938.*





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**St. Rose of Lima  
Roman Catholic Church**

*The first Roman Catholic mass in Carbondale was celebrated at a private home in 1828. St. Rose of Lima was established in 1832 and a small wooden structure made of logs was constructed for the congregation. The new Catholic church grew rapidly and in ten years a new larger church was built.*



*In 1873, the present building was constructed under the leadership of Father Francis Carew who was pastor of St. Rose for more than two decades until his death in 1887. Since then various renovations and additions have been made including the addition of the chapel to the old St. Rose Convent that has been called the "gem of church architecture and finish."*

**Lunch  
at the Pioneer City Station**

*The Pioneer City Station was built on the site of the former Delaware and Hudson Railroad Station. Although little remains of the original station which was constructed in 1895, this new station reminds visitors of Carbondale's great history as a center in passenger service and major player in the railroad industry. The D&H ended passenger service on the line in 1952 but continue to use the building for offices until its was destroyed in a fire in 1970. Today the Pioneer Station is used for excursions from Steamtown and special events like today.*



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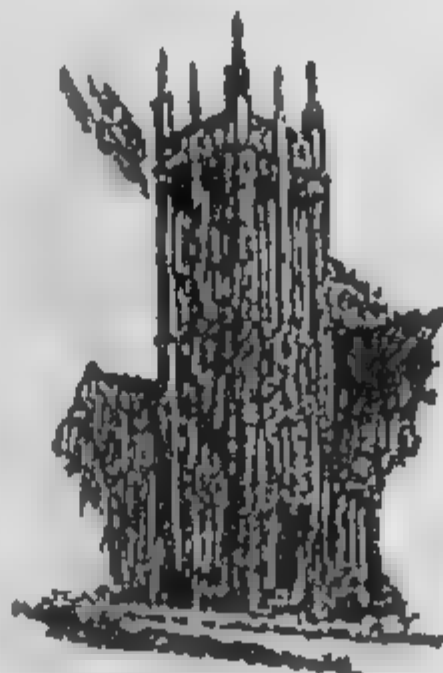
**First United Methodist Church**

*In 1828, a group of devout Methodists began holding meetings in the home of Vene Lee, at the corner of South Main Street and Seventh Avenue. The Methodists formally organized in 1830 and built their first church two years later on land donated by the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, at the site of the present church. In 1849, a second church building was constructed next to the original single story wood frame building which was sold in 1850 to the city's Baptist congregation who moved it to a neighboring lot to the south.*

*The third church erected by the Methodists in 1893 was designed by Catlin House architect Edward Langley. Sadly it was severely damaged by a fire in 1901 which left only a portion of its stone walls intact. The church leaders decided to rebuild from the same plans and salvaged pieces of the original creating the church we see today.*

**First Presbyterian Church**

*The Presbyterian Church of Carbondale was established in 1829 and work began at once to erect a suitable house of worship. With assistance from the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, the church raised the*





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*needed funds for construction and built a small one room school house at its present site that would be used as a place of worship, a day school, and general meeting place for the community.*

*By 1834, the Presbyterians had outgrown their little school house and a new church was planned. Completed in November of that year, the new wooden church was described as a "very neat substantial edifice of a considerable size." In 1836, the church incorporated as the First Presbyterian Society of Carbondale. A new brick church was built in 1864. The current Gothic style structure was erected on the site in 1951.*



#### Berean Baptist

*The Berean Baptist Church was founded in 1848 and early services were conducted in the Temperance Hall at the corner of Church Street and Salem Avenue. Two years later a meeting house was purchased from the Methodists and moved to Church Street. By 1857, plans were begun to construct a larger structure which was completed at the site in 1859. Thirty years later, a new church would be dedicated at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and Church Street in an effort to meet the increasing needs of the growing Baptist community. This building was destroyed by a fire in 1968 but was rebuilt within two years.*



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### Special Thanks

*The Ben-Mar Restaurant  
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Monsignor William J. Feldcamp  
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Mary Ann Gavern  
Richard Leonori, AIA  
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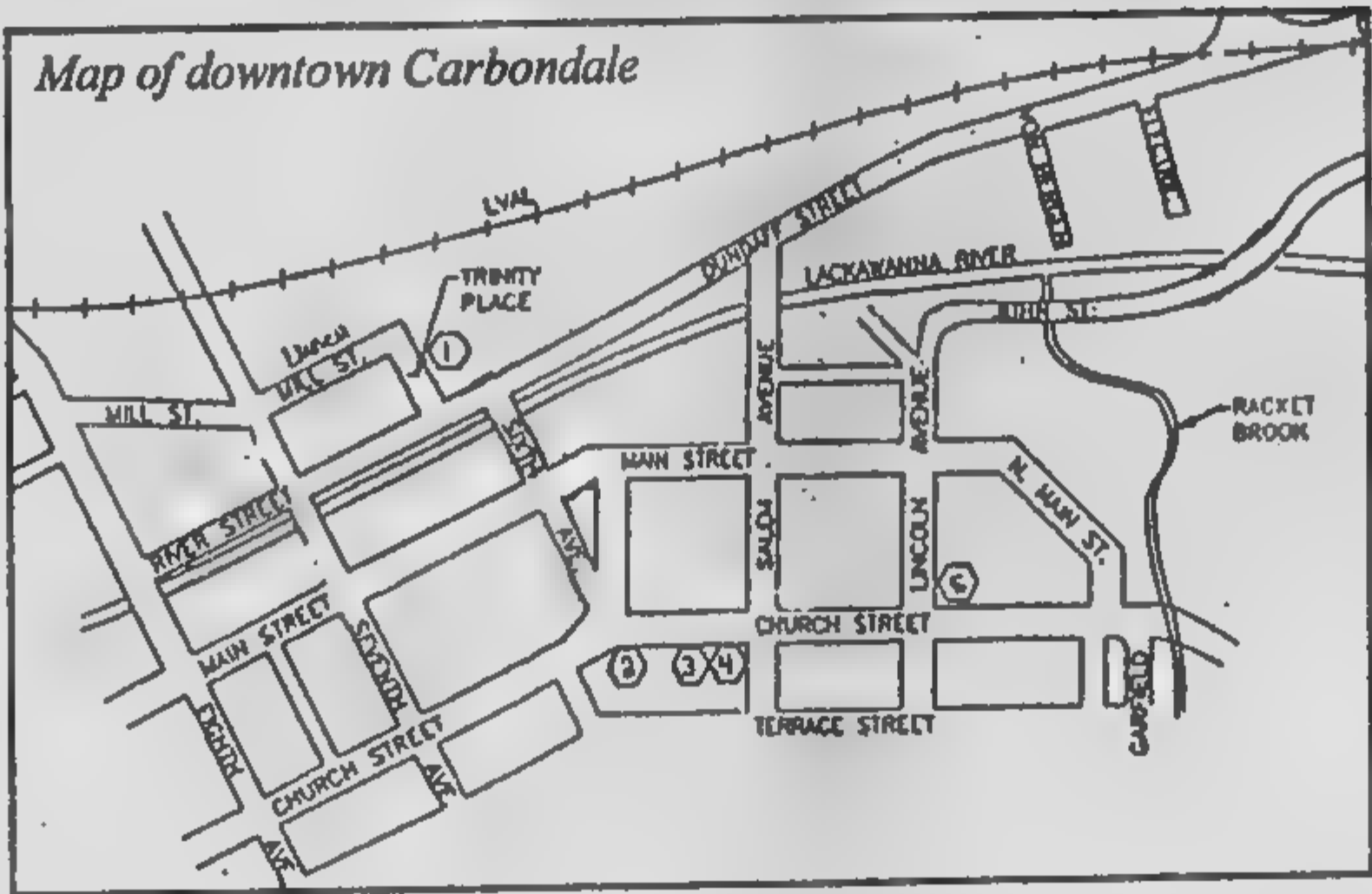
*And to all the LHS/CHS members  
who joined us today.*





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- Key:**
- 1. Trinity Episcopal Church
  - 2. St. Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church
  - 3. First United Methodist Church
  - 4. First Presbyterian Church
  - 5. Berean Baptist Church

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**First Presbyterian Church**  
Carbondale, Pennsylvania

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HOW WE BEGAN

In an old church record, yellow with age, there appears on page No. 1, a carefully penned entry of great significance to each member of the Carbondale Presbyterian Church, for it records the story of organization and reads as follows:

"A number of members from Presbyterian churches in different parts of the country having settled in Carbondale it was thought expedient to form a presbyterian church in this place.

"A meeting was accordingly held on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1829, when it was resolved to request The Hudson Presbytery to form a church in this place.

"On the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1829, the Rev. Joel Campbell appeared as a committee and organized a church to be known by the name of the Presbyterian Church of Carbondale.

"The following persons presented letters from sister churches and were admitted members of this church:

"Sylvanus Jessup	"Eliza Townsend
"Margaret Jessup	"Thomas Sweet
"Samuel Hodgdon	"Gilbert Miner Lee
"Ann Hodgdon	"Chapman Halsey

"Sylvanus Jessup and Samuel Hodgdon were elected Ruling Elders of the church and set apart to that office.

Rev. Lyman Richardson, of Susquehanna Presbytery, being present, was invited and took part in the exercises."

And on page No. 2 of this valued book of record there is the following entry:

"Sunday, June 28, 1829. Session met. Present: Rev. Joel Campbell, moderator; Sylvanus Jessup, Samuel Hodgdon.

"Opened with prayer by Brother Hodgdon.

"Mrs. Charlotte Sweet and Mrs. Sophia Marvin presented themselves for admission to the church and giving satisfactory evidence of experimental piety were admitted.

"Closed with prayer by the Moderator.

"SAMUEL HODGDON, Clerk"

And so was established that early church! Eight original members by letter, two members on the following day on profession of faith, ten charter members.

*excerpt from Centennial Souvenir June 1929  
by Eleanor Pritchard Jones*

The First Presbyterian Church was fully organized in Carbondale in 1829. The same methods and procedures are used today whenever a new church is being formed.

The first house of worship was built in - - 1829

A new church building was built in - - - - 1834

The third church building was finished in - 1865

Razing of the old church began July 15, 1949

The new edifice was started September 1949

The Cornerstone Ceremony was held December 11, 1949

Dedication of new church, June 3, 1951



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## Trinity Church History

### History and Mission Statement



1832

#### Mission Statement of Trinity Church, Carbondale, PA

The Mission of Trinity Church is to assist all its members in their ministry of reconciliation, bringing people into unity with God, and with each other, through worship, prayer, pastoral care, study, outreach and stewardship. Welcoming all into their church family with love.

Trinity Parish was formed and chartered in Carbondale, Pennsylvania as a Parish of The Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America in 1832. The earliest services were held in the homes of its members.

The first Rector was The Rev. James Tyng, a missionary of the venerable "Society for the Advancement of Christianity in Pennsylvania, a society at that time which rendered great service to the mission work of the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

The first church building was one shared with the Methodist congregation in Carbondale. The building was located on the present site of the United Methodist Church. Trinity's interest in the building was sold to our Methodist brothers for \$218.00.

The Parish then met in a school house on South Main Street until the first wood church building was erected in 1842 on the site of the present Stone Building. The lots for the building of the church were owned by the D & H CO. (railroad). Although negotiations to purchase the land were begun, title was never given to the parish. The first church was moved to the site of the present Durfee Parish Hall and became the Parish hall when the Stone church was erected in 1898/99. Fire and flood destroyed the old Church in January and March of 1936 and the building had to be torn down. The Durfee Parish hall was built in 1938.

Over the many years since its formation, the parish has always been an integral part of the community. Many members serving the community as well as the church. Two served as Mayor, and others in various offices of local government.

The parish had a great influence in establishing the First public Library in the County and still maintains a special relationship with the library. Many rectors and church officers had served on it's board of directors and still do.

The parish has been part of three dioceses, The Diocese of Pennsylvania, The Diocese of Central Pennsylvania and presently, The Diocese of Bethlehem. Thirteen bishops, including the Rt. Rev. William White, first Bishop of Pennsylvania, Bishop Ethelbert Talbot of first the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania and later the first Bishop of The Diocese of Bethlehem and Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church of the United States. The Rt. Rev. Paul V. Marshall is presently Bishop of Bethlehem.

Thirty four Clergymen have served as Rectors, and five as Assistants. The present Rector The Rev. Stephen J. Matylewicz has served as both an assistant and Rector. The shortest time a rector had served was two months and the longest tenure as rector was by The Rev. Clark Trumbore from 1934 to 1967. The average stay of rectors had been four years. To date only one woman has served as a clergy person, The Rev. Lexa Shallcross as an assistant and later as priest-in-charge.



Trinity was a key member of a combine of parish known as The North Lackawanna Valley Ministry for a number of years. The name was later changed to The Lackawanna Episcopal Ministry. The name related to the proximity to the Lackawanna River. There were four churches and one Summer mission involved; namely, Trinity Church, Carbondale; Christ Church Forest City; St James Church, Jermyn; St George's Church Olyphant; and the summer mission of St James Church, Dundaff. The combine was later changed to three entities, Carbondale and Forest City, Olyphant and Jermyn, and Dundaff standing alone. Each church always maintained it's own identity.

The parish has always been a congregation that reflects the community as a whole. Its members have been miners, railroaders, artisan, professionals, company executives, housewives and career women. It has opened its door to ecumenical activities and services. It's parish hall has hosted Scout troops, Red Cross blood drives, food pantry and other civic organizations. Its outreach over the years has touched many lives in the area and continues to do so today.

It has a very active Episcopal Church Women's group that embraces members of other faith communities of the town also. The women's group Flea Markets, Roast Beef Dinners, and Christmas Bazaars are well known and the fellowship that fills these events is a wonderful example of what Christian Fellowship should be. Their hard work produces means to do good works in the community, as well as help support the church budget.

Trinity is a Traditional Parish, holding the faith handed down through the centuries dear to its center. It opens its doors wide to all, its ministry reaches out to all in love and charity. Although the congregation today is small due largely to the diminishing population of the area it is still a vital Christian witness to the people of the area.

History is a moving and living thing and today's congregation is writing its chapters into the next millennium. Come and help write the story for tomorrow.

05-19-01-1 Elkdale Cemetery

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The Sidney H. Burdick burial took place on schedule at about 2. PM. I arrived at the Cemetery at about 12:30 PM and located without difficulty the burial site. His wife Ellen is buried on the side of the plot where Sidney's name is, so Sidney is to be buried / was buried in the spot where his wife should have been buried. This was information that was provided by the Burdick family to the undertaker (Shifler - Parise, Clifford). Martin Barhite arrived on schedule at about 1 P.M. & so did the undertaker, the vault people, and the hearse.



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No family members were present — which made it a lot less complicated. With his back-hoe, Martin Barhite dug the grave in the very rocky soil. Sidney's vault was placed next to Helen's — which appeared to be on top of a wooden coffin, which may be "Baby / Harold Burdick" who was buried many years ago. The Sidney Burdick coffin was lowered in; Martin scooped back in the dirt. When he was all finished, I paid him (\$135) and away he went. I went up the hill in the Cemetery and picked a lilac bough and placed it on Sidney's grave.

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I also placed a lilac bough on the  
tombstone of Michael Gilberie, who  
played a very crucial role in the  
history of the Russell family  
in the 1840's. My plan is to be  
buried in the plot next to  
Michael Gilberie.

Given the dry spring, the grass  
is not too long in Elkdale  
Cemetery. I'm not sure that I  
will be able to get the Cemetery  
cut by Memorial Day. Maybe.  
It's a long shot. We shall  
see. I have made preliminary  
arrangements with Martin

Barbute to straighten up a lot  
of leaning or fallen over <sup>tomb</sup> stones



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in Elkdale Cemetery. They have not  
be pushed over (as in some cemeteries).  
Rather, the natural movement  
of the earth (frost / thaw /  
mud, etc.) had caused many  
stones to lean & fall over over  
the years. Also, When the 19th  
Century wooden coffin give  
way the ground moves and  
so do the tombstones nearby.  
Most significantly, the  
tombstone of John Russell  
(which fell over during the winter)  
has to be re-erected, as do  
a couple other family stones,  
which are beginning to lean.

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- all of the first grade students in the Carbondale schools visited the Carbondale City Hall this morning. From 9 to about 10 AM, they were at the Historical Society. I showed them old city and corporate seals -- and the instruments that produce them -- and the kids enjoyed that a lot. We also looked at 19th Century household tools and "machines" and gadgets and clothing. The kids had a good time.
- Mailed <sup>today</sup> a final draft of the specifications for the rehabilitation of 303 & 304 & the upstairs hall in City Hall to PennDOT (Robert Horvitz). Hopefully PennDOT will approve them as bidding documents and that process can be begun. There is much to be done and I am anxious to get the project into high gear.



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Dad used to say:  
"When the black-  
berries are in  
blossom, it's  
time to plant  
cucumbers."

During a walk  
in the cow pasture  
today, I noted  
that the blackberries were in  
blossom, and so I planted these  
cucumber seeds when I got  
back to the house.

Millions of buttercups in the  
cow pasture. Also, a large  
quantity of Columbine plants  
in blossom — all along the



Cucumber  
Double Feature Hybrid



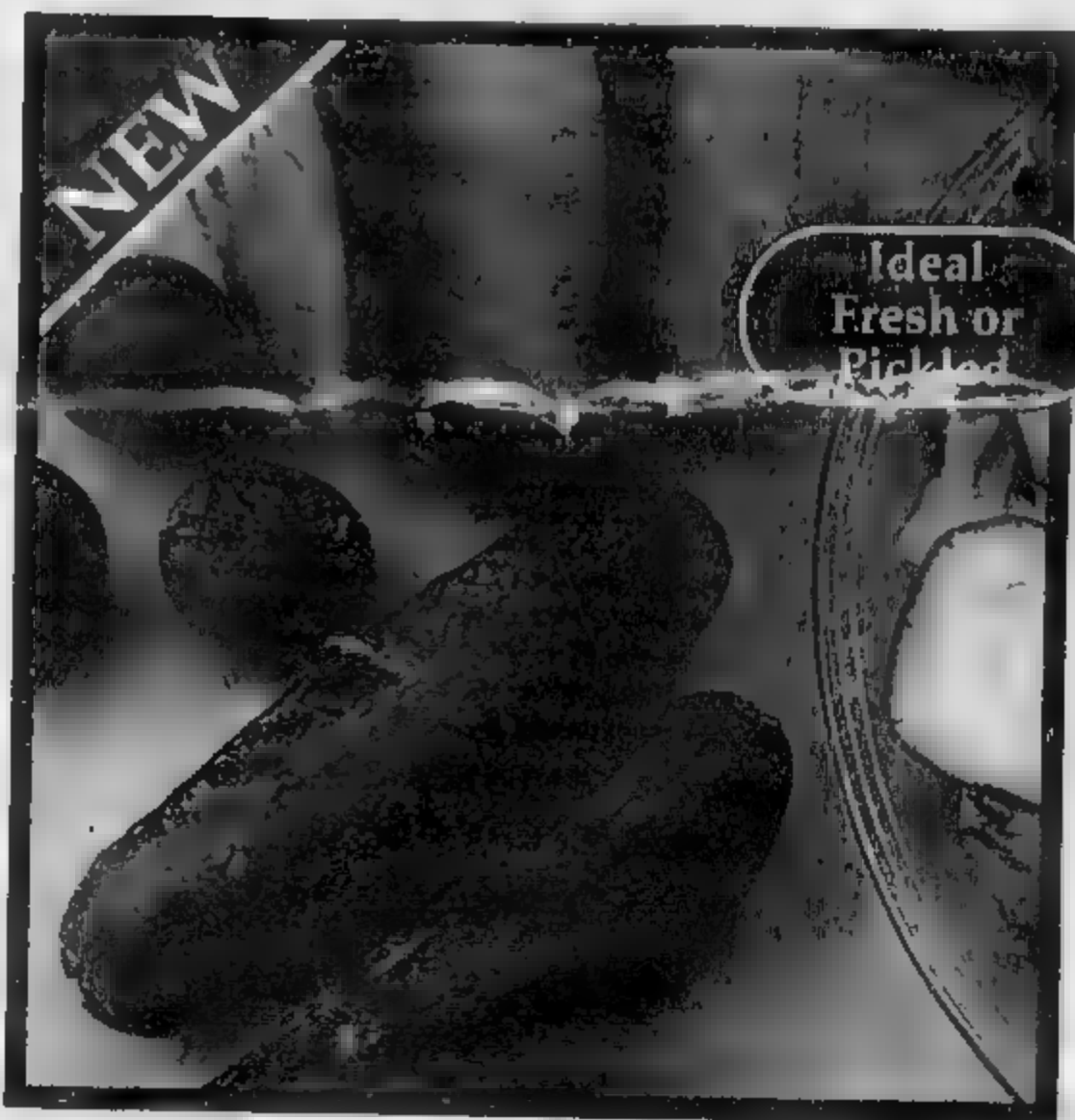
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**CUCUMBER**

Double Feature Hybrid



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fence line. Last year, I walked along and sowed Columbine seeds everywhere in the vicinity of the Cow pasture. With any luck, they will self-seed from now on and annually herald the warm days of early June. Dame's Rocket and buttercups and Iris are now in full bloom. A very beautiful -- and fragrant -- Chocolate-colored Iris is now out in my garden by the Gray Barn foundation. Peas doing nicely. Now in blossom. Potatoes about a foot tall. I



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picked the first radishes a few days ago — very gratifying and delicious.

My Japanese Popcorn and Broom corn & Blue Hubbard squash are having a tough time getting going: it's been too wet. A week of hot sun. would do them well. The Sunflowers have now started to grow rapidly, as have the Gloriosa daisies and the Cone flowers and the "Hippie" Poppies.

Cosmos and Zinnia seed beds doing well. In a couple of weeks I will have hundreds of cosmos and zinnia plants to transplant. Hail to summer.

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Waymont Sesquicentennial Parade.

Carbondale, I'm pleased to report, was well represented in the parade.

Mayor Jordan and I carried the city flag — as a banner on a horizontal pole. The Mayor's wife and Michelle Baunon walked along with a large bunch of helium filled balloons, which they gave to kids along the route.

Fred Moose & Peter Kacer, Jr. rode in a police cruiser, which towed a "float" with enlarged photos of the Powell Gravity Railroad car. The float was titled "Gravity Car Restoration."

Three of Carbondale's mounted police finished off the unit.

We (Carbondale) were there!



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and that's important.

I set up the Historical Society's  
sales table in Jane Varcoe's  
D+H steam station and sold  
#34 worth of the Historical Society's  
China. Not many "buyers"  
out — but lots of "lookers."  
No matter, #34 is better than  
nothing.

I wore my 19th century frock  
coat, tan pants, a black  
fannel neck, white tie, top  
hat, the Carbondale semi-  
Centennial <sup>medal on a purple</sup> ribbon.

Lots of positive feedback for  
SRP in the course of the  
parade.

It was a very nice parade.  
Small Town America at its best.

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Elkdale Cemetery

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Mowed all of Elkdale Cemetery today between 11 A.M. & 5 P.M. Happily, the Cemetery's rotary mower started on the first pull of the rope — and nothing had been done to the mower since last Fall. It appears that someone — maybe Clyde Seaman — cut the Cemetery once this Spring — maybe a veterans' representative. I'll find out soon. The Cemetery now looks very nice, and it will look even nicer if I can get the trimming done around the stones this week. Two groups of visitors and worked: (1) a group of Lowry descendants, not very well informed about genealogy; I was cutting in the area of their family stone when they arrived — which surely must have pleased them; and (2) three girls out for a walk (probably live in one of the many new houses in the area).



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A thank you chicken for Robert from Jane for two hours of schlepping around with Jane and Barbara and Renae to pick up two truck loads of flea market junk in Prompton on June 6, 2001.



# **GALA FIRE WORKS DISPLAY**



**SPONSORED BY THE CITY OF CARBONDALE  
AT RUSSELL PARK ON SUNDAY JULY 1- 6PM TO 11 PM  
ENTERTAINMENT-JOJO THE CLOWN  
THE MAGIC OF DAMIAN & DJ DENNIS SOSA  
REFRESHMENTS-GAMES & PRIZES-CARBONDALE  
MEMORABILIA-OUR INDEPENDANCE DAY STAND  
OUR GREAT NEW RIDE "THE WHISPER CARS"  
ART DISPLAY FROM OUR SACRED HEART AND  
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*Rain Date: Mon. July 2*

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Thursday

Paul:

Here is some information that will perhaps be useful for the parade photo display. If you need more information, let me know and I can expand on what is presented here.

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GRAVITY CAR RESTORATION

These are photographs of an original Delaware and Hudson Gravity Railroad freight/passenger car. This car was purchased by Fell Township resident, William Anderson Russell, at the time that the Gravity Railroad closed in 1899. The car is now owned by Donald and Robert Powell, Carbondale, and plans are underway for the restoration of the car.

The D&H Gravity Railroad, between Carbondale and Honesdale, opened in 1829 and functioned as a "gravity" railroad until 1899, when the system was converted to a conventional steam locomotive railroad, which operated until 1931.

Passenger service on the line was inaugurated in the 1870s. By the middle of the nineteenth century, over a million tons of coal was shipped annually over this line from the mines in the Lackawanna Valley to the D&H canal terminus at Honesdale. So successful was the D&H in shipping freight and passengers over this line that it became the first million-dollar corporation in America.

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### 1951 Carbondale Parade Video to be Screened

A video of the Carbondale centennial parade will be presented at the Carbondale Public Library on Thursday, June 21, at 7 P.M.

This 8-mm. film was shot by Attorney Pearson Judd from his office at 26 North Church Street (above Andrew's Jewelers). This very rare video record of the 1951 parade is now in the collection of Attorney Benjamin Schnessel, a nephew of the late Attorney Judd.

"There's about 300 feet of 8 mm. film that we've had transferred to modern videotape," remarked Attorney Schnessel, "and it's very interesting to be able to see again Carbondale of 50 years ago. Everyone's there. The Centennial Queen, Kay Pope Iyoob, and her court are on one float. Mayor Monahan, Dean F. Johnson, everyone."

This special video presentation is being presented under the sponsorship of the Carbondale Public Library as part of its series of community programs. "This presentation is timed as an introduction to the Carbondale Sesquicentennial Parade that will take place on Saturday, August 11," remarked S. Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society and a member of the Board of Directors of the Library.

This presentation, under the direction of Attorney Schnessel, the Library, and the Historical Society, is open to the public. "We're hoping that members of the audience during the presentation will be able to point out interesting features along the parade route and also identify many people marching in the parade or riding on floats," added Bob Vandenberg, chairman of the community program committee of the Library.

"The Library is very pleased to be able to host this presentation," commented Library director, Anne Muldoon. "It's just one of the ways that the Library can demonstrate its involvement in and support of the city's sesquicentennial anniversary," she added.

For additional information about this special presentation, contact S. Robert Powell at the Library at 292-4281.

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Account Summary		Previous Balance	(+) Purchases & Advances	(-) Payments & Credits	(+) FINANCE CHARGE	(=) New Balance
PURCHASES		\$73.68	\$147.94	\$73.68	\$0.00	\$147.94
ADVANCES		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
TOTAL		\$73.68	\$147.94	\$73.68	\$0.00	\$147.94

Rate Summary		Balance Subject to Finance Charge	Periodic Rate	Nominal APR	ANNUAL PERCENTAGE RATE
PURCHASES					
Standard Purch		\$0.00	0.04219%(D)	15.400%	15.400%
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Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission - Technical Assistance Grant

## Application Summary

Application: E01165-TAG User: 761

Date this summary generated: June 14

Federal ID: 23-2273752

### I. APPLICANT

A. Name of Organization: Carbondale Historical Society and Museum, Inc.

B. Univ. Dept./Subsidiary Name: n. a.

C. Address: One North Main Street

City: Carbondale State: PA Zip: 18407-2356

D. Executive Director/President: Mr. S. Robert Powell

E. Contact Person for Grant: S. Robert Powell

F. Contact Phone: 570-282-0385

### II. PROJECT SUMMARY

We seek technical and professional advice on how to proceed to restore an original Delaware and Hudson Gravity Railroad (1829-99) combination freight and passenger railcar. We have many questions that need answers in the following four areas: stabilization of railcar, restoration of railcar exterior, restoration of railcar interior, display and end use of restored railcar.

### III. ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

#### A. Mission Statement

The Carbondale Historical Society and Museum is an organized and permanent educational and historical organization whose mission is to record, gather, and preserve the history of the city of Carbondale and the surrounding area. Through its genealogical and local history research center and exhibition galleries on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall (listed in the National Register of Historic Places on January 6, 1983, through the efforts of the Society) and through an annual series of public lectures, programs, exhibitions, and commemorative ceremonies, in the community and in the public schools, the Society, at the same time, interprets and makes accessible to the public the City's rich, diverse, and unique history and heritage. The Carbondale Historical Society and Museum is committed to the central values of (1) maintaining the highest possible standards in all its endeavors, (2) providing excellent service to the public at all times, and (3) demonstrating leadership and innovation in the field of local history.

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### B. Nonprofit Status Documentation

1. Date IRS Tax-Exemption Received: 07/02/84
2. Reg. Date w/PA Bureau of Charitable Orgs: 06/06/80

### C. Telecommunications Information

1. Telephone Number: (Public) 570-282-0385
2. Fax Number: none
3. E-Mail: srobertpowell@juno.com
4. Website: none

### D. Locational

1. County: Lackawanna
2. State Senate Dist. No.: 12
3. State House Dist. No.: 115
4. Federal Congressional Dist. No.: 10

### E. General

1. Control of Institution: Private Nonprofit
2. Discipline of Institution: Historic Society/Museum
3. Year the organization was incorporated: 1983
- 4a. Total number of days open to the public annually: 260
- 4b. Total number of hours open to the public weekly: 40
- 5a. Annual visitation: 1.000
- 5b. Percent of annual visitation represented by organized school groups: 5%%
- 6a. Number of full-time paid staff: 1
- 6b. Number of part-time paid staff: none
- 6c. Number of full-time volunteers: 1
- 6d. Number of part-time volunteers: 6
7. Does the organization have a friends/support group whose purpose is to provide services and raise funds for the parent organization? NO If so, number of members:
- 8a. Has the organization undergone a Museum Assessment Program Review?  
MAP I? NO Date:  
MAP II? NO Date:  
MAP III? NO Date:
- 8b. Has the organization undergone a Conservation Assessment Program Review?  
NO Date:
- 8c. Has the organization been accredited by the American Association of Museums?  
NO Date:

### F. Financial:

1. Current Fiscal Year: 1999
    - a. Month Fiscal Year Begins: January
    - b. Month Fiscal Year Ends: December
- Operating Budget for Most Recently Completed Fiscal Year \$ 7,000
- Percent of budget used for:  
80% staff salaries, benefits and expenses



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0% maintenance of building and grounds

0% utilities

5% collection care and conservation

5% exhibitions and related expenses

5% special events and educational programs

5% marketing and promotion

**Operating Budget for Second Most Recently Completed Fiscal Year: \$ 4,700**

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### IV. HISTORIC PROPERTY INFORMATION (50 Years and Older)

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Is the property listed individually in the National Register of Historic Places? YES

Is the property a contributing property in a National Register of Historic Places historic district? NO

Is the property also designated a National Historic Landmark? NO

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### V. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

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We seek technical and professional advice on how to proceed to restore an original Delaware and Hudson Gravity Railroad (1829-99) combination freight and passenger railcar.

We are making a concerted effort not to make serious and irreversible restoration mistakes and will do nothing without technical and professional advice.

We have many questions that need answers in the following four areas:

#### STABILIZATION OF RAILCAR:

- Construct protective roof or shed to house car
- Restoration of roof of car; remove tin roof not original to car; install new and historically correct roof covering
- Replace damaged windows and repair sliding wooden blinds
- Repair and restoration of support truss system

#### RESTORATION OF RAILCAR EXTERIOR

- Determine original color of exterior (probably Tuscan red) and repaint; kind of paint
- Repair and/or replace damaged or missing wood components/features; proper care of exterior wood
- Repair and/or replace damaged or missing metal components; proper care of exterior metal features

#### RESTORATION OF RAILCAR INTERIOR

- Walls and ceiling: determine original color; repaint or not
- Floor: repair damaged portions; repaint or not
- Metal air vents: determine proper restoration procedure; replace missing vents with historically correct vents

#### DISPLAY AND END USE OF RESTORED RAILCAR

- Place railcar on trailer for public display
- Attempt to refurbish interior with historically accurate components or use restored railcar as display space to tell the story of the D&H Gravity Railroad.

Internal Revenue Service  
District Director

Department of the Treasury

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Date:

JUL 2 1984

Employer Identification Number:

23-2273752

Accounting Period Ending:

December 31

Form 990 Required: ☒ Yes ☐ No

▷ Carbondale Historical Society  
And Museum, Inc.  
Post Office Box 151  
Carbondale, Pa. 18407

Person to Contact:

K. Smith

Contact Telephone Number:

(215) 597-4168

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We have further determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code, because you are an organization described in section 509(a)(1) & 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

Generally, you are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. If you have paid FICA taxes without filing the waiver, you should contact us. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

The box checked in the heading of this letter shows whether you must file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income tax. If Yes is checked, you are required to file Form 990 only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$10,000\* If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

P.O. Box 260, Newark, NJ 07101

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You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees.

If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

  
Geraldine J. Coleman  
District Director

For tax years ending on and after December 31, 1982, organizations whose gross receipts are not normally more than \$25,000 are excused from filing Form 990. For guidance in determining if your gross receipts are normally not more than the \$25,000 limit, see the instructions for the Form 990.

Beginning January 1, 1984, unless specifically excpeted, you must pay taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act(social security taxes) for each employee who is paid \$100 or more in a calendar year.

**Request for Taxpayer  
Identification Number and Certification**

Give form to the  
requester. Do NOT  
send to the IRS.

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Name (If a joint account or you changed your name, see Specific Instructions on page 2.)

Business name, if different from above. (See Specific Instructions on page 2.)  
**CARBONDALE HISTORICAL Society**

Check appropriate box: ☐ Individual/Sole proprietor ☐ Corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Other

Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)  
**ONE N. Main Street**

City, state, and ZIP code  
**CARBONDALE, PA 18407**

Requester's name and address (optional)

**Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)**

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, if you are a resident alien OR a sole proprietor, see the instructions on page 2. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see **How To Get a TIN** on page 2.

**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 2 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number

OR

Employer identification number  
**232273752**

List account number(s) here (optional)

**Part II For Payees Exempt From Backup Withholding** (See the instructions on page 2.)

**Exempt**

**Part III Certification**

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding.

**Certification Instructions.**—You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. (See the instructions on page 2.)

Sign Here Signature **A Robert Powell**

Date **June 14, 2001**

**Purpose of Form.**—A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must get your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 to give your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- Certify the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are an exempt payee.

**Note:** If a requester gives you a form other than a W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**What Is Backup Withholding?**—Persons making certain payments to you must withhold and pay to the IRS 31% of such payments under certain conditions. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding

include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

If you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return, payments you receive will not be subject to backup withholding. Payments you receive **will** be subject to backup withholding if:

- You do not furnish your TIN to the requester, or
- The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN, or
- The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or
- You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 3 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only), or

5. You do not certify your TIN when required. See the Part III instructions on page 2 for details.

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See the Part II instructions and the separate **Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9**.

**Penalties**

**Failure To Furnish TIN.**—If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

**Civil Penalty for False Information With Respect to Withholding.**—If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

**Criminal Penalty for Falsifying Information.**—Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

**Misuse of TINs.**—If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of Federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

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**CERTIFICATION AND STATEMENT OF ASSURANCES**

The applicant certifies, represents and warrants to the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission that:

1. The information contained herein and in all attachments and supporting material is true and correct, and the filing of the application has been duly authorized by the governing body of the applicant;
2. The applicant's organization is officially organized on a tax-exempt basis (501(c)(3)) or is an entity of government, is located in Pennsylvania and has been incorporated for two years prior to the grant application; and
3. The applicant accepts in advance any grant awarded by the Commission agreeing:
  - a. That any funds received as a result of the application will be expended under the "Terms and Conditions of the Grant;" and
  - b. To such other restrictions, conditions or changes as the Commission may impose unless the applicant objects within thirty days of the mailing of the grant award letter.

By:

S. Robert Powell

Individual with the Legal Authority  
to Bind Organization to a Contract

Date

June 14, 2001S. Robert Powell

Typed Name

President

Typed Title



# CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY and MUSEUM, INC.

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

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## INCOME

	Income Fiscal Year 1/00 - 12/00	Income Fiscal Year 1/99 - 12/99
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### Cash Income/Earned Revenue

Admissions	\$ 2000	\$ 500
Membership	\$ 2500	\$ 2500
Enrollment fees/education programs	\$ 0	\$ 0
Museum store/gift shop (gross)	\$ 1000	\$ 400
Food service (gross)	\$ 0	\$ 0
Publications, reproduction rights, royalties	\$ 0	\$ 0
Special events	\$ 300	\$ 100
Special exhibition fees	\$ 0	\$ 0
Interest and dividends	\$ 200	\$ 200
Rental	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Earned Revenue	\$ 6000	\$ 3700

### Contributed Support: Government

Federal	\$ 0	\$ 0
State	\$ 0	\$ 0
County	\$ 0	\$ 0
Municipal	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Government Support	\$ 0	\$ 0

### Contributed Support: Private

Foundation	\$ 0	\$ 0
Corporate	\$ 0	\$ 0
Individual	\$ 1000	\$ 1000
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Private Support	\$ 1000	\$ 1000

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Parent Organization Support	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Contributed Support	\$ 1000	\$ 1000

**Investment Income**

Investments	\$ 0	\$ 0
Transfers	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Investment Income	\$ 0	\$ 0

Grand Total All Income	\$ 7000	\$ 4700
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**EXPENSES**

	Expenses Fiscal Year 1/00 - 12/00	Expenses Fiscal Year 1/99 - 12/99
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**Administrative**

Salaries and Wages	\$ 4500	\$ 0
Benefits	\$ 0	\$ 0
Insurance: Collections	\$ 300	\$ 300
Insurance: Liability	\$ 200	\$ 200
Museum store/gift shop	\$ 500	\$ 800
Food service	\$ 0	\$ 0
Contractual 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Contractual 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Contractual 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Professional Development	\$ 0	\$ 0
Travel	\$ 0	\$ 0
Printing and publication	\$ 500	\$ 500
Telephone/postage/all telecommunications	\$ 300	\$ 300
Fundraising development	\$ 0	\$ 0
Marketing	\$ 0	\$ 0
Supplies	\$ 600	\$ 600
Equipment	\$ 0	\$ 1200
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0

**Facilities**

Rent/mortgage	\$ 0	\$ 0
Utilities	\$ 0	\$ 0
Maintenance: Janitorial	\$ 0	\$ 0
Maintenance: Buildings/Grounds	\$ 0	\$ 0
Maintenance: Exhibitions	\$ 100	\$ 100
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Other 00	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Facilities Expenditures	\$ 100	\$ 100

Grand Total All Expenses	\$ 7000	\$ 4000
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Total Accumulated Surplus	\$ 0	\$ 700
Total Accumulated Deficit	\$ 0	\$ 0

**Restricted Funds**

Temporarily Restricted	\$ 1500	\$ 1500
Permanently Restricted	\$ 0	\$ 0

Capital Expenditures (New Construction, Renovations, Large Equipment)	\$ 0	\$ 0
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**Discuss Accumulated Surplus/Deficit**

Through careful financial management, we had a surplus of \$700 from fiscal year 1999.



## Celebrating Carbondale's Heritage MAYORS OF CARBONDALE

Permanent exhibition, mounted by the Carbondale  
Historical Society and Museum in City Council Chambers,  
under the direction of Joseph Pascoe

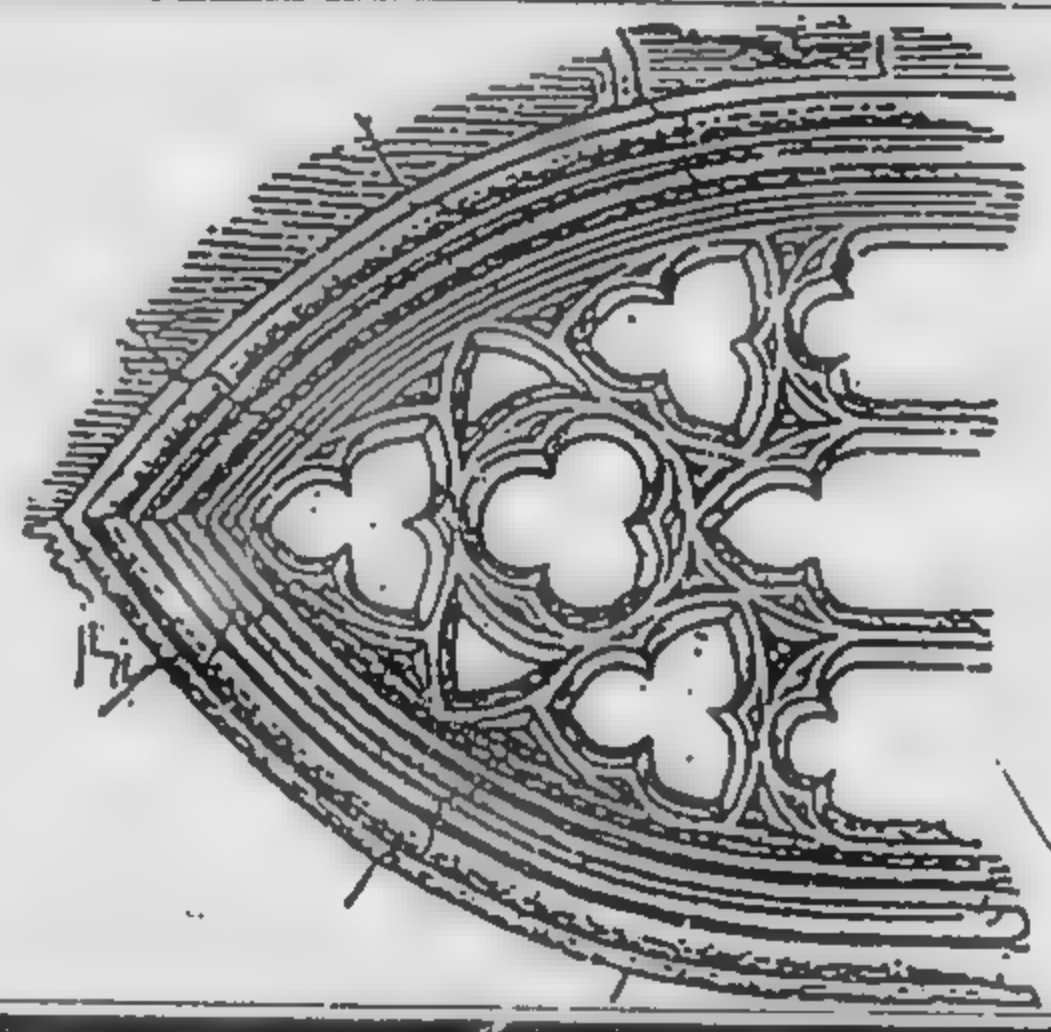
### Mayors of Carbondale

James Archbald, 1851-1855	E. E. Hendrick, 1892-1895
Edward Jifkins, 1855-1856	J. J. O'Neill, 1895-1898
Gideon Frothingham, 1856-1857	J. W. Kilpatrick, 1898-1902
John M. Poor, 1857-1861	J. J. O'Neill, 1902-1905
Canfield Harrison, 1861-1862	Byron S. Clark, 1905-1908
Anthony Grady, 1862-1865	A. L. Sahm, 1908-1912
William Brennan, 1865-1866	James B. Murrin, 1912-1916
John M. Poor, 1866-1867	John T. Loftus, 1916-1924
Thomas Voyle, 1867-1869	E. J. Healey, 1924-1928
J. B. Van Bergen, 1869-1873	A. F. Fey, 1928-1932
Thomas Voyle, 1873-1874	E. J. Healey, 1932-1936
William Morrison, 1874-1875	William L. Monahan, 1936-1952
John Nealon, 1875-1877	Walter Bryden, 1952
Joseph Birkett, 1877-1878	Frank Kelly, 1952-1960
L. Marshall, 1878-1879	Frank Howard, 1960-1968
Thomas Brennan, 1879-1880	Dr. Abraham J. Kaufman, 1968-1977
Anthony Battle, 1880-1882	James V. McMyne, 1977-1978
Thomas Voyle, 1882-1883	Fred J. Mancuso, 1978-1984
H. B. Jadwin, 1883-1884	Charlotte Moro, 1984-1988
James Russell, 1884-1885	John E. Moran, 1988-1996
John Kelly, 1885-1889	Joseph Vadella, 1996-1997
C. E. Rettew, 1889-1892	Michael Tolerico, 1997-present

*The Honorable James Archbald, Mayor of Carbondale, 1851-1855.* Oil on canvas, 24 1/2" x 37 1/2", from a painting by Elliott, dated 1845, copied by J. W. Raught, 1901, presented to the city of Carbondale by James Archbald's daughter, Mary Wodrow Archbald Catlin; painting now in the collection of the Carbondale Historical Society.



**CARBONDALE  
PLACES OF WORSHIP  
TOUR  
2001**



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**Lackawanna Historical Society**  
232 Monroe Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18510

**APRIL PROGRAM REMINDER:**

*Members-Only  
Tour of the Watres Armory  
Sunday, April 22th 2 p.m.  
Watres Armory*

*Clean Up Day at the Catlin House  
Join us as we spruce up the grounds for  
Spring.  
Saturday, April 28th 10 a.m.  
Catlin House*

*The Delaware and Hudson Coal  
Company: New Insights  
from the James Archbald Papers  
by Michael Knies  
Weinberg Memorial Library  
Sunday, April 29th 4 p.m.  
Catlin House*

# **Carbondale** **Places of Worship Tour** **Saturday, May 12, 2001** **9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

*Join us as we sample the diverse religious history and architecture of Carbondale in recognition of the city's Sesquicentennial.*

*This year, the walking tour will focus on some the area's earliest places of worship in Carbondale.*

*Historical background will be provided by each church and architectural styles and designs will be discussed by local architect and LHS Trustee, Richard Leonori.*

*\$12.00 members  
 \$15.00 non-members  
 (includes bus transportation and a boxed lunch)*

*Space is limited so reserve early.  
 Reservations must be made by May 7, 2001 through the Lackawanna Historical Society.  
 (see attached reservation form)*

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CALL  
 THE LACKAWANNA HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
 AT 344-3841.**

## ITINERARY

9:30 a.m. Bus departs Catlin House  
 232 Monroe Avenue  
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9:55 a.m. Arrive in Carbondale

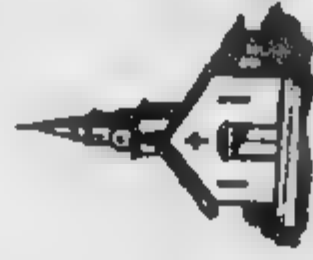
Tour Stops Include:

- 1) Trinity Episcopal Church
- 2) St. Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church

— Lunch —

- 3) First United Methodist Church
- 4) First Presbyterian Church
- 5) Berean Baptist Church

4:00 p.m. Bus returns to Catlin House



## *Special Thanks*

*S. Robert Powell  
 Rev. Dale Pepper  
 Mary Ann Gavern  
 Richard Leonori, AIA*

**Carbondale**  
**Places of Worship**  
**Tour 2001**

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

**\*Please detach and return with your payment by May 7, 2001 to the**

**Lackawanna Historical Society  
 232 Monroe Avenue  
 Scranton, PA 18510**

**Payment will ensure your reservation.**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number of Persons attending:**

(LHS or CHS Members) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$12.00

(Non-Members) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$15.00

(lunch only, no bus) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$7.00

**Amount Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Make check payable to the Lackawanna Historical Society*

*This event is co-sponsored by the Lackawanna Historical Society and the Carbondale Historical Society in recognition of Carbondale's Sesquicentennial.*

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Thomas Ridge, Governor

Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission  
Janet S. Klein, Chairman  
Brent D. Glass, Executive Director

This Official State Historical Marker was authorized by  
Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission.  
Funding made possible  
through the Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority.

This event has been sponsored by  
The Lackawanna Historical Society  
The Carbondale Historical Society  
The Wayne County Historical Society  
The City of Carbondale  
Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority  
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Special thanks to  
Marilyn Levin, PHMC  
S. Robert Powell, Carbondale Historical Society  
Sally Talaga, Wayne County Historical Society  
Fred Moase, Carbondale City Manager  
Carbondale Department of Public Works  
Robert Durkin, Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority



*Dedication of an  
Official State Historical Marker  
commemorating*

*The Delaware and Hudson  
Gravity Railroad  
(1829-1899)*

Sunday January 3, 1999  
2:00 P.M.

Gravity Park  
Route 6 and Garfield Avenue  
Carbondale, Pennsylvania

Historical Marker Inscription:

GRAVITY RAILROAD

*Here began one of the first railroads in the Western Hemisphere, built 1828-29. The line had its eastern terminus at Honesdale; its southwestern terminus was later extended to Archbald & ultimately to Valley Junction near Olyphant. Built by the Delaware & Hudson to move coal to the D & H Canal, this line eventually provided passenger service and operated until the beginning of 1899.*

PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION 1998

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Important Dates in the History  
of the Delaware and Hudson Gravity Railroad

October 16, 1828

The Delaware and Hudson Canal Company's canal is  
opened from Honesdale to Rondout, NY.

August 8, 1829

Pioneer run of the Stourbridge Lion.

October 9, 1829

The Delaware and Hudson Canal Company's Gravity  
Railroad from Carbondale to Honesdale was opened,  
carrying its first shipment of anthracite coal.

January 3, 1899

The Gravity Railroad operated for the last time in its  
entirety as a gravity line.

PROGRAM

2:00 p.m.

Unveiling and Dedication  
Gravity Park

Welcome ..... S. Robert Powell, President  
Carbondale Historical Society

Unveiling ..... Michael Talerico, Mayor  
City of Carbondale

2:30 p.m.

Historical Program and Reception  
Carbondale City Council Chambers

Introduction..... Alan Sweecney, President  
Lackawanna Historical Society

Historical Narrative ..... S. Robert Powell, President  
Carbondale Historical Society

Remarks ..... Robert Durkin, Executive Director  
Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority

George A. Nichols, Commissioner  
PA Historical and Museum Commission

Thomas A Browning, Chief of Staff  
Senator Mellow's Office

Refreshments and Open House  
courtesy of the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum

**CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
and MUSEUM, INC.**

**Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407**

Phone: 717-282-0385

(Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future)

January 3, 2001

Dear Members:

Thank you for renewing your membership in—or for becoming a member of—the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum for 2001. Your membership card is enclosed. We very much appreciate your support through membership.

**SOME RECENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
ACCOMPLISHMENTS / EVENTS**

In ceremonies sponsored by the Historical Society, three additional portraits of mayors of Carbondale were unveiled in City Council Chambers on Sunday afternoon, November 19. The three mayors whose portraits were unveiled are: William Brennan (1865-1866), Thomas Voyle (1867-1869, 1873-1874, 1882-1883), and John Jordan (2000—present). The portraits of Mayors Brennan and Voyle are original compositions by Alice Stolle, Carbondale. The master of ceremonies was S. Robert Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hellman and Gloria Wilson presided at the refreshment table.

These portraits will become a part of the permanent exhibition of mayors' portraits in Council Chambers. The exhibition curator is Joseph Pascoe, the treasurer of the Historical Society. Portraits of 28 of Carbondale's mayors are now on display in Council Chambers, including a photographic reproduction of an oil painting by J. W. Raught of the city's first mayor, James Archbald. This painting is an oil on canvas that was copied by Raught from a painting by Elliott, dated 1845. The Raught painting of James Archbald was presented to the city of Carbondale by James Archbald's daughter, Mary Wodrow Archbald Catlin.



On Sunday, December 10, the Seventeenth Annual Carbondale Christmas Concert by the Crystal Band took place in the Berean Baptist Church, Carbondale. This annual concert is sponsored by the Historical Society and the Berean Baptist Church as a Christmas gift to the community as a whole. Refreshments were served following the concert. As always, the concert was a joyful and inspiring event. This year's concert was under the direction of Thomas Frew.

On December 13<sup>th</sup>, the Society's annual Christmas Dinner took place at Pettinato's Restaurant, Carbondale. Fifty members and friends attended the event, which was, in every respect, a complete success. Society member Paul Starzer offered the invocation at the beginning of the evening.

In the course of the dinner meeting, "Distinguished Achievement Awards in Historical Preservation" were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis (Tiffany/Davis House, 40 Washington Street), Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll (Burke/Carroll House, 65 Seventh Avenue), and Pleasant Mount Welding, Inc., 45 Dundaff Street (PMWI was represented at the dinner by Messrs. Ed Turano and Chris Duquette). Following the presentation of awards, S. Robert Powell showed about a hundred slides of post-card views of Carbondale from the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Many members and friends were heard to say that this year's annual Christmas dinner meeting was very special and most enjoyable.

On New Years's Eve, members of the Society participated in the kick-off ceremonies at City Hall to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the city of Carbondale's incorporation on March 15, 1851.

### COMING ATTRACTIONS / EVENTS

All year long, there will be special ceremonies and events—at least one per month—to commemorate the city's 150<sup>th</sup> birthday. On February 18, at 3 P.M., at the Berean Baptist Church, there will be a special historical program, under the direction of the Historical Society and the

Carbondale Ministerium. Hymn singing by the congregation will be an integral component of this program.

On March 15, at 9:30 A.M. in the auditorium at Carbondale Area High School, Charter Day Ceremonies will be conducted under the direction of the Historical Society. Students from the school and the CAHS chorus and band, as well as Mayor Jordan and other local and area elected officials, will participate in these ceremonies.

### GET INVOLVED

The next meeting of the Society will take place on Thursday, February 15, 2001, in the Society's exhibition gallery in 301 City Hall. The meeting, which is the quarterly meeting for the first quarter of 2001, will begin at 7 P.M. and is expected to last no more than one hour. We are anxious to have your input as to present and future plans for the Historical Society. The meeting is open to the public. Come to the meeting. Bring a friend with you.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
President

By using eGRANT<sup>sm</sup>, you have simplified the assembly of your application package. To complete your application package, you will need to send us some collateral materials.

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Assemble these materials in the order indicated. Two copies of each applicable attachment are required. Do not use plastic covers, binders, folders or staples. Clip the attachments together at the top left corner.

1. Printed Application Summary (view and print from main menu)
2. IRS Tax-Exempt Documentation
3. Signed Form W-9 - Download Form (PDF Format)
4. Signed Certification and Statement of Assurances
5. Budget for Most Recently Completed Fiscal Year
6. Sample of Promotional Material

## VII. Certification and Statement of Assurances

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**Enclose the attachments in a manila envelope and mail to:**

Pennsylvania History and Museum Grant Program  
Bureau for Historic Preservation  
Commonwealth Keystone Building  
400 North Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17120-0093  
Attention: Helena M. Johnson

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- the degree to which the service will help to increase the capacity of the organization to improve its operations and provide better services to the public; and
- the opportunity for the organization to take advantage of similar services, e.g., the American Association of Museums' Museum Assessment Programs.

## NOTIFICATION OF AWARD

All competitive grants are evaluated by peer review panels. Only eligible and complete applications will be considered. Eligible applicants will receive notification of the status of their request on at least a quarterly basis.



# BEREAN NEWS

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# Summer

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## PASTOR'S LETTER

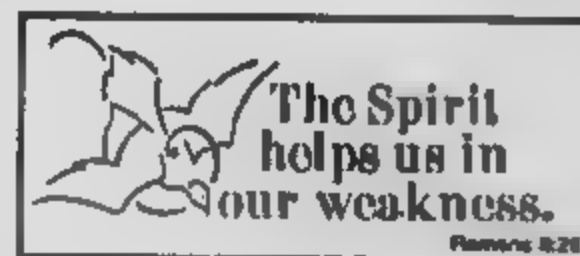
Following her release from a World War II Nazi concentration camp, the **Dutch Christian Corrie Ten Boom** felt called to preach forgiveness in Christ to the guilt-ridden in Germany. In her messages she always shared the witness of mercy expressed toward their German captors by her sister, who had shared **Miss Ten Boom's** cell in the camp before she died. Following one such speech, a former camp guard at that very camp stepped forward

A MESSAGE  
FROM THE  
PASTOR

and identified himself to test the genuineness of **Miss Ten Boom's** mission. Overcoming her desire to strike out against one who had brought about the painful death of her beloved sister, Corrie Ten Boom gave the former soldier a hug. That hug healed her own heart as well as that of the former guard. Forgiveness became real and heaven and earth became one. Miss Ten Boom has become an example for many of us on the proper way to forgive others.

## HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS

Hospital patients for June included: **Phyllis Arthur, William Martin, Darlene Paklemba, Mae Parry, Donald Powell, Marlene Swingle (Marian); Kimberly Magistro (CMC, Scranton); Donald Thomas (Allied Services, Scranton); Phyllis Arthur (Osprey Ridge, Carbondale); Mae Parry (Wayne Woodlands Manor, Waymart).**



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heart  
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that I inherited.*

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2146 Club House Drive  
Lillian, Alabama 36549  
e-mail: lhawley@gulftel.com  
334/961-2858  
June 11, 2001

Hello Robert,

Believe it or not, I have been thinking about sending this material to you since last August.

At any rate, this is what we have in our computer. Unfortunately, as you can see, our two files, the Griswolds and Curtises are not merged. We are a little reluctant to do that since we are not sure what the result might be.

About a year ago, we discovered the entire family of Thomas Curtis, the brother of Rev. Henry who moved to Indiana following his ordination at Olive Street Baptist in NYC, the same church in which Rev. Henry was ordained. Those folks sent us scads of material, so when our files go back to the immigrant Henry Curtis and his wife Alice, the file just explodes ... I think to 130 pages.

Both of these files may start a little earlier than you need for the Griswold reunion, and we are not sure if this material can even be helpful to you in this format.

However, if it's useful ... fine. If not, it can be just an addition to your files.

Gordon and I are knee-deep in the Stanton Reunion which we are chairing this year in Stonington, CT. It is a 3-day affair, and to date, we have about 125 coming from 23 states and Canada. That's a lot of plans and prep, but it has worked out well, thanks in part to e-mail. I don't know how much you know about the Stantons, but they settled in Waymart in the 1790's or so. Gordon's grandmother, Rena Curtis (Mrs. Francis) was the daughter of Joshua and Maria Miller Stanton.

We'll see you in August.

Regards,

Louise Hawley



**Carbondale Public Library**  
**Meeting of the Board of Directors**  
**June 19, 2001**

The June 19, 2001 meeting of the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Public Library was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by Martin Langan, president. Present were the following Board members: Langan, Pascoe, Miley, Race, McNabb, Calabro, Vandenberg, Matylewica, Mattise, and Powell. Anne Muldoon, library director, was also present.

To begin the meeting, Anne Muldoon passed around the table for the Board members to see the check for \$250,000 that the Library received from the Governor's office. The Board again expressed its appreciation and thanks to Father Steve Matylewicz for all that he did to make this wonderful gift possible. After this \$250,000 has been deducted from the mortgage, the Library will still owe \$58,918.79 minus \$14,040.20 on the mortgage.

Marty reported that the Weinberg Foundation has promised the Carbondale Public Library a donation to help pay off the mortgage.

Katherine Race reported that the Teddy Bear Picnic will take place on July 14, 2001. Lunch at 12:30 P.M., teddy bear cookies, games, etc. It is expected that Smoky the Bear will appear.

The Friends trip to Philadelphia has been cancelled.

At the request of the president, the Recording Secretary read the minutes of the May 2001 meeting of the Board. It was regularly moved (Pascoe) and seconded (Race) that the minutes be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

Patricia Calabro read the treasurer's report for May. It was regularly moved (McNabb) and seconded (Father Steve) that the treasurer's report be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

On Thursday, June 21, a video of the 1951 Carbondale Centennial parade will be shown at the Library. Attorney Benjamin Schnessel will provide commentary as the video is screened. This is a video of 8 millimeter films that were shot by Attorney Pearson Judd (uncle to Attorney Schnessel) in 1951. At 4 P.M. on the 21st, members of the Board will gather to move furniture in the Library and to prepare the first floor of the building for the presentation.

The Library Director reported that a survey was recently conducted in the Library as to whether or not the Library should get DVD's for the collection. "The answer to the survey, decisively, was Yes."

Robert Powell reported that he has recently "discovered" *Harper's Magazine* and *Atlantic Monthly* and remarked that if Board members were interested in reading periodicals of very high quality that they might consider those two periodicals.

Father Steve Matylewicz thanked the Board again for their kind thoughts and prayers following the death of his daughter.

With no additional business to conduct, it was regularly moved (Matylewicz) and seconded (Miley) that the meeting be adjourned. Accordingly, at 8:20 P.M., the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
S. Robert Powell  
Recording Secretary

Summer 2001

Uncle Robert,  
Doris Howell  
wanted to know how  
you were doing on the  
Sale or whatever you  
were doing to pay the  
tax on the change,  
because she just reviewed  
the tax bill and all  
of the account is used  
up. Dan Howell



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**CARBONDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

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June 14, 2001

Board of Directors  
Carbondale Public Library  
Carbondale PA 18407

Dear Board Member:

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on Tuesday, June 19, at 7:30 P.M. at the library.

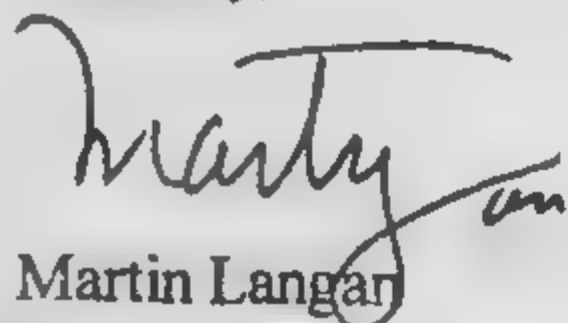
Our program committee will present the final plans for the program scheduled for Thursday, June 21, at 7:00 P.M. at the library. Please pass the word to your friends and neighbors about the video presentation of the Centennial Parade.

We will also hear any updates on our fund raising projects.

Reports of standing committees will be given.

Please plan to attend.

Sincerely,



Martin Langan  
President  
Carbondale Public Library

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High summer. The peas that I planted shortly after Good Friday have grown beautifully and are now in blossom — with many pods now visible. Surely by the fourth of July I will be able to harvest peas. Potatoes growing very nicely — about 15-18" tall; tomatoes growing well as are the Blue Hubbard squash plants and sunflowers. Yesterday and this morning I transplanted about 125 Cosmos plants from a seed bed; also about the same number of various colour of "state fair" giant zinnias. I have planted the Cosmos in between the squash vines — the plan being that the Cosmos will quickly grow higher than the squash vines. We shall see. I will take some management, but I believe that I can make it work. I am anxious to

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take nephew Donald to the garden and have him know the joy of picking vegetables directly from the garden — and eating them immediately. As soon as he gets here for the summer this week, we will go to the garden and have "a radish experience" in the garden. Then in a few weeks, it will be summer peas, and the cucumbers and then tomatoes and then potatoes. I remember very clearly some front porch shelling pea sessions when we were kids. Wicker furniture, half bushel baskets of peas in pods, Mom, Mrs. Ward — shelling peas. Such memories stay with me for a lifetime.



HOMESTEAD MONDAY NIGHT LADIES' LEAGUE

by SRP

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The 38 members of the Homestead Golf Course Monday night ladies' league played the back nine at Homestead on June 11. The three lowest gross scores for the evening were turned in by Diane Bloxham (36), Jan Corbett (38), and Nancy Cresswell (41). The lowest net score, which takes in handicap, was reported by Joan "Trigger" Yatsonsky, with a score of 20.

Following each round, the league participants are awarded points by the league's official scorekeeper/point recorder, Joan Muskey, who explained the point system as follows: "Points are awarded for a hole in one (6), eagle (5), birdie (4), par (3), bogie (2), and double bogie (1). One point is also awarded for low score, low putts, and attendance. The back nine point leaders for the season are Diane Bloxham (75), Jan Corbett (74), and Jackie Gribble (69). On June 11, Jan Corbett also won the award for the shot closest to the pin, on the tenth hole.

The league also offers an award for the participants' performance on six holes that were selected by the Homestead management at the time the league was formed--holes 4, 5, 8, 10, 11, and 12. The award, the Helen Powell Award, is named in memory of the late Helen Powell, mother of the Homestead's present owner/operator, Donald W. Powell. It was Walter and Helen (Russell) Powell who designed and built the Homestead Golf Course, which opened in 1962.

The members of the Monday night ladies' league are awarded points each week toward the Helen Powell Award. The point system is identical to that used by the league to determine the regular weekly points, except for the Helen Powell Award points are not allotted for low score and low putts. The four leading contenders for this year's Helen Powell Award are Jackie Gribble (37 points), Jan Corbett (37), Helen Falonk (34), and Giny Kleinbauer (33).

The annual winner of the Helen Powell Award gets free league golf for the following year, in addition to a trophy and the listing of her name on a plaque.

In 2000, the league champion for the front nine at Homestead was Joan Muskey. Jeany Arcangelletti was the champion for the back nine. The tournament winners for 2000 were Carol Granahan and Jeany Arcangeletti. The "most improved" players for 2000 were Peg Strom and Mary Clair Costanzo.

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Dear Mr. Matkosky,

Thank you for the  
copy of your excellent  
documentary Stories  
from the Mummies.

It is very probable  
that we will purchase  
units of 12 copies for  
sale in our gift shop.

Thank you for  
thinking of us as  
vendor for your  
remarkable video.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell

President

Carbondale Historical  
Society & Museum

Written by SRP 1771

#### 1951 Carbondale Parade Video to be Screened

A video of the Carbondale centennial parade will be presented at the Carbondale Public Library on Thursday, June 21, at 7 P.M.

This 8-mm. film was shot by Attorney Pearson Judd from his office at 26 North Church Street (above Andrew's Jewelers). This very rare video record of the 1951 parade is now in the collection of Attorney Benjamin Schnessel, a nephew of the late Attorney Judd.

"There's about 300 feet of 8 mm. film that we've had transferred to modern videotape," remarked Attorney Schnessel, "and it's very interesting to be able to see again Carbondale of 50 years ago. Everyone's there. The Centennial Queen, Kay Pope Iyooob, and her court are on one float. Mayor Monahan, Dean F. Johnson, everyone."

This special video presentation is being presented under the sponsorship of the Carbondale Public Library as part of its series of community programs. "This presentation is timed as an introduction to the Carbondale Sesquicentennial Parade that will take place on Saturday, August 11," remarked S. Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society and a member of the Board of Directors of the Library.

This presentation, under the direction of Attorney Schnessel, the Library, and the Historical Society, is open to the public. "We're hoping that members of the audience during the presentation will be able to point out interesting features along the parade route and also identify many people marching in the parade or riding on floats," added Bob Vandenberg, chairman of the community program committee of the Library.

"The Library is very pleased to be able to host this presentation," commented Library director, Anne Muldoon. "It's just one of the ways that the Library can demonstrate its involvement in and support of the city's sesquicentennial anniversary," she added.

For additional information about this special presentation, contact S. Robert Powell at the Library at 282-4281.

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WAYMART AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

P.O. Box 255 • Waymart, PA 18472

13 June 2001

THE CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

S. Robert Powell, President

Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Robert,

The Waymart Area Historical Society would like to thank you for being in our "Pride and Patriotism Parade" and providing a unit of marchers plus the pictures on the potential restoration of your Gravity car.

We were so pleased with the day, the parade, the displays, demonstrations, the fantastic weather and the hundreds who came to view our borough.

Thank you again for helping us . We appreciate your support. and hope you found the day as satisfying as we did.

Sincerely,

Barbara Holmes, President Sandra Boguski, Vice-president

Jane Varcoe Sec./Treas. *Jm V*

P.S.--Now Robert, we must go forward with plans for the symposium. Do you think that a time would be available for next week? Either here or in Carbondale.

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7	Repl RT Nameplate "1500" Chevrolet	1	12.10		0.2		
8	REAR DOOR						
9*	Refn RT Door shell						1.8
10	Overlap Major Adj. Panel						0.4
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Parts		40.20
Body Labor	7.2 hrs @ \$ 38.00/hr	273.60
Paint Labor	7.0 hrs @ \$ 38.00/hr	266.00
Paint Supplies	7.0 hrs @ \$ 18.00/hr	126.00
Sublet/Misc.		11.00
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house on N. Church St.  
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Mrs. W. A. Manville's Cream Sponge  
Cake. p. 137 from the 1924 "Car-  
bondale Cook Book of Tried and  
Tested Recipes," prepared by the  
Young lady workers of the Methodist  
Episcopal Church of Carbondale, PA.  
Delicious! It will have to become  
a part of the basic SRP repertory.  
The "flavoring" that I used was  
almond extract. What an aroma  
as the cake baked! Unlike  
many sponge cakes, this one  
has substance, texture, and  
flavor. It would be very  
nice with fresh raspberries or  
strawberries over it.



6/24/01 — Gooseberry Tarts

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Harvested two cups of beautiful gooseberries from my bush in the front yard.

Using a recipe in one of Mom's old Betty Crocker Cook books, I made 8 gooseberry tarts today. What an unusual and delicious treat! I am very pleased that PWP II was here to enjoy this one-a-year taste sensation. The best part of it all is that he enjoyed the tarts a great deal — which pleased me a lot. Every year, from now on, in late June I will make gooseberry tarts.

Soon the currants will be ripe and I shall have to come up with a recipe for fresh currants —

something besides jelly (which is delicious); some kind of pastry.

HOMESTEAD MONDAY NIGHT LADIES' LEAGUE

by SRP

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Jeany Arcangeletti, having played only two rounds of league play this season, has already earned 21 points in the Helen Powell Award competition. Joan Muskey, official scorekeeper and one of the driving forces behind the Monday Night Ladies' League, remarked "It's good to have Jeany back. She hasn't been able to play much this spring, due to some surgery, but she's back in action again, and we're all glad she is. Welcome back Jeany."

On Monday, June 18, the league played the front nine. Jan Corbett, with a score of 49, turned in the lowest gross score of the evening, with Diane Bloxham in second place with a score of 51. The lowest net score for the night was reported by Nancy Cresswell, with a score of 30. The point leaders for the front nine are Jan Corbett (32 points) and Diane Bloxham (25 points).

In league play on Monday night, Jan Corbett earned points on eight of the nine holes played. Gina McDonough had low putts for the round, with 19, and Diane Bloxham won the award for her tee shot closest to the green on hole number one.

The three leading scorers in the on-going Helen Powell Award competition are Jackie Gribble (39), Helen Falonk (39), and Jan Corbett (42).

Homestead's owner, Donald W. Powell, observed that "the Monday Night Ladies' League always have a good time, rain or shine, and we're pleased to have them play here. Their numbers are growing, in a large part because they're a friendly group and very supportive of all league players, especially those league members who are just getting started with golf."

Several members of the Monday Night Ladies' League have "adopted" one of the Mute Swans that annually spends the summer on the pond on the third hole on the front nine. "We call him Mr. Wickham," remarked Joan Muskey, "and every time I play the front nine, I put a small packet of cracked corn and wheat in my golf bag and I put the feed at the edge of the pond for Mr. Wickham, who we named after a fictional character created by Jane Austen."

"If anyone would like to join our league, added Joan Muskey, "all they have to do is to show up at Homestead on Monday afternoon at about 4 o'clock, and we'll take care of the rest of the arrangements."

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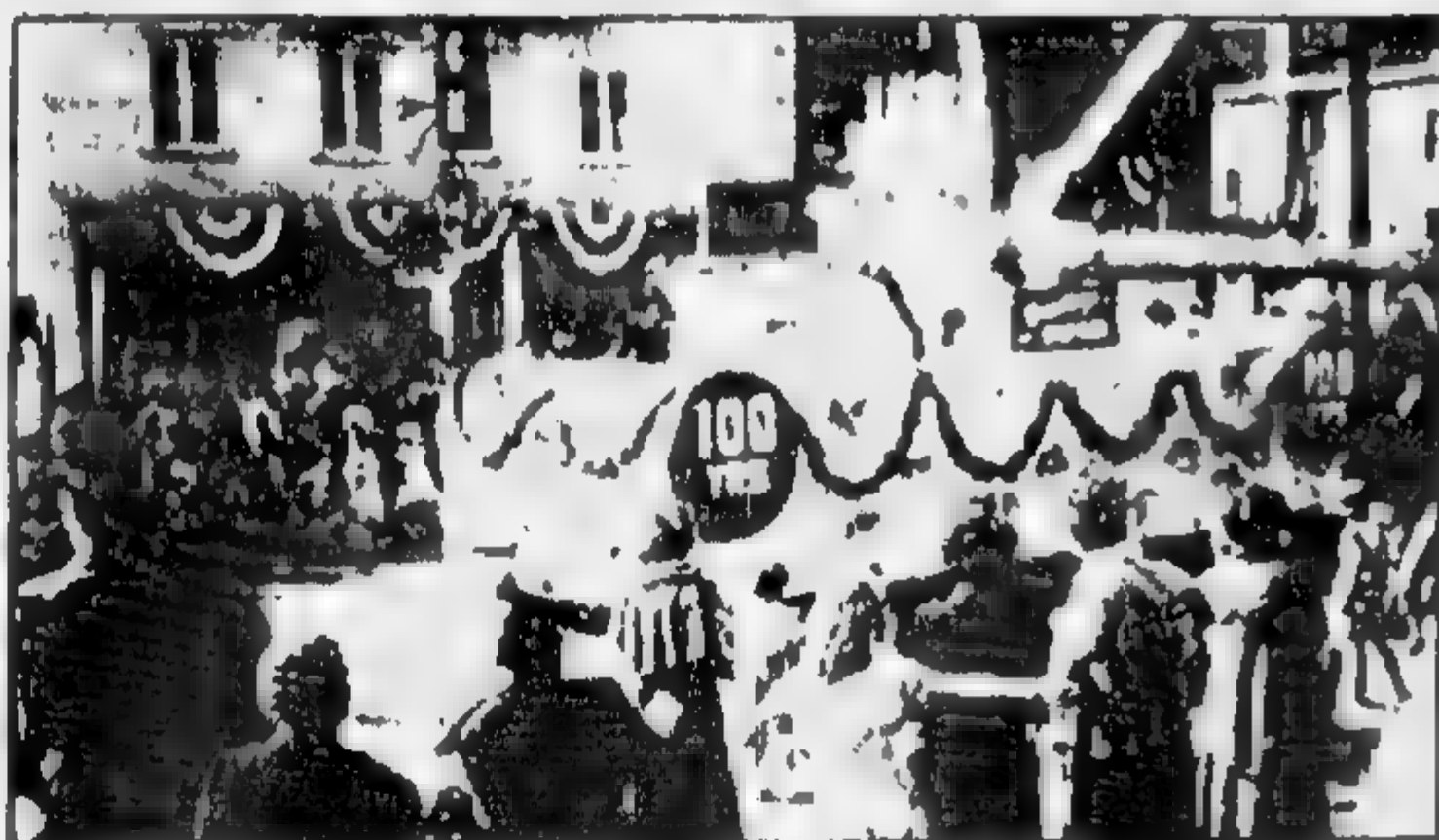
## Historic home movie of 1951 parade will be shown at Carbondale Library

**W**ere you in the crowd at Carbondale's centennial parade in 1951? If so, you may be able to see yourself members of your family or friends in a video of the parade being shown at the Carbondale Public Library.

An 8mm film of the parade shot by Attorney Pearson Judd from his office at 26 N. Church St. (above Andrew's Jewelers) has been transferred to video and will be presented free to the public at the library on Thursday, June 21. This rare, historic record of how the Pioneer City and its people looked 50 years ago is in the collection of Attorney Benjamin Schnessel, a nephew of the late Attorney Judd.

"It's about 300 feet of 8mm film that we've had transferred to videotape," Attorney Schnessel explained, "and it's very interesting to be able to see again Carbondale celebrating its 100th birthday. There's Centennial Queen Kay Pope Iyob and her court, Mayor Monahan, Dean F. Johnson, and many others."

The video will be offered with the sponsorship of the Carbondale Public Library as part of its series of community programs. "This video presentation is timed as an introduction to the Carbondale Sesquicentennial Parade scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 11," stated S. Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society and a member of the library board of directors.



**WERE YOU THERE?** — These views of the Carbondale Centennial Parade in 1951 will be recalled in a video showing at the Carbondale Public Library on June 21 of an 8mm film of the parade shot by the late Atty. Pearson Judd from his office on N. Church St. (Courtesy Carbondale Historical Society)

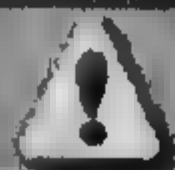
Bob Vandenberg, chairman of the community programs committee of the library, commented, "We're hoping that members of the audience during the video presentation will be able to point out interesting features along the parade route and identify people in the parade."

Library director Anne Muldoon said, "This is one of the ways the library can demonstrate its involvement in and support of the city's sesquicentennial anniversary."

For more information, contact S. Robert Powell at 282-4281.



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Sent: Monday, June 25, 2001 6:53 PM

Subject: RailCamp Field Trips

June 25, 2001

Lynn Burshtin  
National Office Manager

Basic RailCamp 2001  
National Railway Historical Society  
PO Box 58547  
Philadelphia, PA 19102-8547

Re: RailCamp Field Trips

Dear Ms. Burshtin:

The Coal Mine Tour and the Anthracite Heritage Museum are certainly "must-see" items for anyone interested in the history of the anthracite region, and I would guess that the RailCamp week doesn't lack for things to do. However, I thought it worthwhile to remind the organizers of some of the other sites in the area which would make interesting and informative field trips.

The Gravity Railroad of the Delaware and Hudson Canal Co. was completed in 1829 to carry anthracite from the mines in Carbondale, over Moosic Mountain, 16 miles to the head of the Canal in Honesdale. From here, canal boats carried the coal 108 miles to the Hudson River near Kingston, NY, on its way to final destinations in New York City and New England. Except for the brief trial runs of the "Stourbridge Lion", the first locomotive to run in the United States, near Honesdale in 1829, the line was powered by stationary engines at the heads of short, steep planes, and by gravity on the long, gently sloping "levels" between the planes, until it was closed in 1898. In 1900 it was converted to a standard locomotive line.

There are three historical societies and two museums in the area which would be pleased to host a field trip:

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**Carbondale Historical Society and Museum**  
Main Street  
PO Box 151  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Ph.: 570 282-0385  
e-m: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)

**Dr. S. Robert Powell, Director**

The museum houses artifacts of the railroad, mining and related industries of Carbondale. Dr. Powell would be happy to arrange a special tour or give a talk on the D&H, either in Carbondale or at Steamtown.

**Waymart Area Historical Society**  
PO Box 255  
Waymart, PA 18472-0255

Ph.: 570 488-6750  
e-m: [janev@socantel.net](mailto:janev@socantel.net)

**Barbara Holmes, President**  
**Jane Varcoe, Secretary**

Waymart is on the Honesdale side of Moosic Mountain, and has a gravity era, and two steam era stations, plus bridges and other stoneworks associated with the lines. Jane Varcoe owns one of the steam era stations and gives an interesting presentation on the area history.

Waymart also has an ongoing "Car 43" project, the restoration/reproduction of an open, Summer, Gravity Railroad Passenger Car, which has benefited from a NRHS grant.

**Wayne County Historical Society and Museum**  
Main Street  
Honesdale, PA 18431

Ph.: 570 253-3240  
e-m: [wchs@ptd.net](mailto:wchs@ptd.net)

**Sally Tallaga, Executive Director**

The museum houses the full size replica of the Stourbridge Lion and the the Gravity Railroad passenger care "Eclipse", plus other artifacts associated with the D&H Canal and Railroad, area industries and the local native Americans. An adjacent Visitors Center has a model of the Gravity Railroad and Canal, and a replica gravity coal car.

Ms. Tallaga would be happy to arrange a special RailCamp tour.

In addition, there are numerous stationary engine sites, planes and levels between Carbondale and Honesdale which are accessable.

Please let me know if any of the above would be of interest, either for this year's, or future, RailCamps, or if you need further information.

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Sincerely yours,

Rodney D. Brown  
Trustee, Wayne County Historical Society  
Chairman, WAHS Car 43 Project

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South Shore, Elk Lake  
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Robert,

We're meeting at my place at noon on Thursday for lunch, if you can come that early. We'll start the meeting after lunch, or when you get here.

If you can make lunch, let us know.

A question I meant to ask you re. "Official County Historical Societies": can there now be more than one? Jane and I seem to recall a rumor to that effect, but we can't remember the details.

'See you Thursday.

Rod

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Robert,

Here's a poem I found that I thought you might like.

When Lilacs

The pine fence rotted and collapsed,  
and then there was nothing between us  
and the abandoned lot of the fish-  
packing company, its wild outbuildings,  
the forges and pumps, the truck barn,  
the coopers, the workshops, silent  
and weedgrown, and the counting-house,  
ivy-choked and gone to pigeons and  
feral cats — and the lilac tree, stooped  
with blossoms, and my mother stealing  
among them like a ragged queen, snipping  
and gathering, filling milkbottles with  
the nodding clusters: she would choke  
the house's sorrows with the lilacs  
in the kitchen with its pinched windows,  
on the sills and shelves and sinkboard,  
on the red round table and the stove's back,  
and lilac water in the vases and jars —  
and in every cluttered room, we, who  
tilled no gardens and tended nothing  
but the tedious rosary of one day at a time,  
suddenly rolling among the crowns  
of flowers, breathing whatever fever  
it was that sweetened the air for that  
one time, the time the dead fence crumbled  
and nothing stood between us  
and the rich swollen purses of the lilacs.

Frank X. Gaspar

This message just  
showed up in my  
e-mail on 6/27/01.  
Where has it been  
for the past  
four months?



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## Homestead Monday Night Ladies

Written by  
SRP

A lot of fine playing took place at Homestead on Monday, June 25, when seven league members had par on the 16th hole: Bev Burkhart, Uoncile Echler, Jan Corbett, Helen Falonk, Diane Keough, Mary Ellen Wilson, and Peg Strom.

The three low gross scores that were reported in league play on the back nine were turned in by Jan Corbett (43), Helen Falonk (44) and Nancy Cresswell (45). Thanks to a beautiful chip shot on the 14th hole, Helen Falonk didn't have to take her putter out the bag on 14!

The lowest net score for the week (28) was reported by Peg Strom, who is not only the most experienced golfer in the league, but also the author of two important works on local history: one on the Village of Dundaff, and one on the Scranton State School for the Deaf (the "Oral School").

The two other low net scores for the week were turned in by Mary Ellen Wilson (29) and Sparta Nardelli (30), who sank a very nice chip shot on the 18th hole.

The three winners of the low putts for the week's competition were Helen Falonk (17), Liz Misko (18), and Mary Ellen Wilson (18). The league players who earned the most points during Monday's play were Helen Falonk (17 points for the week, with a total of 81) and Diane Keough (16 points for the week, with a total of 64).

The point leaders for the season are Jan Corbett (89) and Helen Falonk (81). The two leaders in the competition for the annual Helen Powell award are Jan Corbett (7 points for the week, total of 49) and Carol Grahahani (7 points for the week, total of 41).

At the suggestion of the Monday Night Ladies League, the Homestead Golf Course is sponsoring a theme basket in the raffle now going on at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church in Carbondale. "The basket has some very nice golf items in it that Homestead's management has donated to this project," remarked league scorekeeper Joan Muskey, "and I'm sure it will be very popular."

The league was pleased to see Donald W. Powell II (son of Homestead's owner, Don Powell) on the course on Monday, even though several members of the league didn't recognize him at first, so much he has grown in the past year. Donald, who regularly pars the course at Homestead, will play in several regional tournaments this month and has played at least 9 holes at Homestead every day since the beginning of this summer vacation in mid-June. In the fall, he will enter the ninth grade.

# Local golf league results

## Homestead Monday Night Ladies League

*Written by SRP*

The 38 members of the Homestead Golf Course Monday Night Ladies League played the back nine at Homestead on June 11. The three lowest gross scores for the evening were turned in by Diane Bloxham (36), Jan Corbett (38), and Nancy Cresswell (41). The lowest net score, which takes in handicap, was reported by Joan "Trigger" Yatsonsky, with a score of 20.

Following each round, the league participants are awarded points by the league's official scorekeeper/point recorder, Joan Muskey, who explained the point system as follows: "Points are awarded for a hole in one (6), eagle (5), birdie (4), par (3), bogie (2), and double bogie (1). One point is also awarded for low score, low putts, and attendance. The back nine point leaders for the season are Diane Bloxham (75), Jan Corbett (74), and Jackie Gribble (69). On June 11, Jan Corbett also won the award for the shot closest to the pin, on the tenth hole.

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06-30-01-7 Summer Peas

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"Plant peas on Good Friday, and you'll be able to harvest them on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July" — that's the gist of the old saying. Well, I planted the first peas a few days after Good Friday and was able to harvest enough for supper tonight — four days before the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. It's been a good growing season, which is why they're "early."

What a delicious treat peas are directly from the garden and un-cooked. Freshness itself. They're one of my favorites. I planted "edible pod" peas and regular garden peas. Beautiful plants and blossom as well. I did a second planting about two weeks after Good Friday, so I should have fresh peas for the next several weeks.



From: Carl Albright <carlsalbright@yahoo.com>

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Lilacs

Date: Mon, 2 Jul 2001 05:26:11 -0700 (PDT)

REPLY | REPLY ALL | FORWARD [As Attachment]

Robert,

The poem probably went into hibernation until it was good and ready to bloom. I'm glad, however, that you got it and surprised that the computers could be so discerning.

We just returned from five days in Avalon, NJ, where my mom rented a house for my family and for the families of my brothers and sisters. The boys and I had a great time jumping waves and building castles. I thought of you during a beach trot when I passed between the ocean sunrise and the piping plovers.

It sounds like your nephew is enjoying your company. I remember how important it is for someone his age to have others believe in him.

Maybe I'll dig my old clubs out and knock a few around tomorrow at lunch.

Carl

-- s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>  
wrote:

> June 29

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> Carl:

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> On June 26th, your [redacted] to me of  
> February 16, 2001 [redacted] mail inbox.  
> Where has that [redacted] past four  
> months?

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> The Frank X Gaspar poem "When Lilacs" is very  
> beautiful and I am pleased to have a copy of  
> it. Thank you.

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> I'm very fond of this hot summer weather and am  
> getting a lot done (at least I have the  
> impression that I'm getting a lot done):  
> gardens, chickens, historical society, golf  
> chauffeur (my nephew--going into ninth grade  
> this fall--is a very talented golfer and I am  
> his taxi to golf courses and tournaments here  
> and there). He is such a good golfer that many  
> people are saying that he probably could become  
> a professional golfer).

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> Hope you and your family are all well and  
> enjoying the summer.

>

> Robert

1793

→ one of my buddies  
from ICS —

in another  
world, at  
another time,  
Carl and I  
would be  
each other's  
best friend.

07-04-01-1

1794

Made a lemon pie today using Grandma Russell's recipe. What a superb recipe it is. DWP II helped make the meringue and also stir the filling. DWP, DWP II, & SRP at the whole pie about 30 minutes after the meringue was browned.

It reminded me of the Sunday School trips to Lake Ariel Amusement park when we were kids — Grandma always made her lemon pie for the occasion. Such beautiful memories.

Played the front 9 with DWP II late this afternoon. He seemed to be anxious to play and no one was around (his usual partners) and so I suggested that we play. We had a grand time. He played very well <sup>(39)</sup> — I managed to get 63 — which is not impressive.

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July 1, 2001

S. Robert Powell  
Carbondale Historical Society  
1 N Main St  
Carbondale PA 18407

Dear Mr. Powell,

This letter is being written to request several packages of the Carbondale City Hall picture note cards so that I might sell them at my bakery.

With the upcoming celebrations for Carbondale's 150 Birthday, I would like to display and sell the note cards to my customers and visitors. My extended family is also holding a family reunion here in Carbondale, in August, and I think many of my family members would enjoy owning the cards as a beautiful reminder of our City.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience so that we may raise some money for the Carbondale Historical Society and present the buyers with a wonderful memory and a beautiful photograph of our City Hall. I can be reached at Barbour's Bakery, 55 Salem Avenue during business hours or by calling 282-4710.

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

*Janet*

Janet Price  
Owner/Operator  
Barbour's Bakery  
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7/6*





# Results from the Links

## Homestead Monday Night Ladies League

Jeany Arcangeletti, having played only two rounds of league play this season, has already earned 21 points in the Helen Powell Award competition. Joan Muskey, official scorekeeper and one of the driving forces behind the Monday Night Ladies League, remarked "It's good to have Jeany back. She hasn't been able to play much this spring, due to some surgery, but she's back in action again, and we're all glad she is. Welcome back Jeany."

On Monday, June 18, the league played the front nine. Jan Corbett, with a score of 49, turned in the lowest gross score of the evening, with Diane Bloxham in second place with a score of 30. The point leaders for the front nine are Jan Corbett (32 points) and Diane Bloxham (25 points).

In league play on Monday night, Jan Corbett earned points on eight of the nine holes played. Gina McDonough had low putts for the round, with 19, and Diane Bloxham won the award for her tee shot closest to the green on hole number one.

The three leading scorers in the on-going Helen Powell Award competition are Jackie Gribble (39), Helen Falonk (39), and Jan Corbett (42).

Homestead's owner, Donald W. Powell, observed that "the Monday Night Ladies League always have a good time, rain or shine, and we're pleased to have them play here. Their numbers are growing, in a large part because they're a friendly group and very supportive of all league players, especially those league members who are just getting started with golf."

Several members of the Monday Night Ladies League have "adopted" one of the Mute Swans that annually spends the summer on the pond on the third hole on the front nine. "We call him Mr. Wickham," remarked Joan Muskey, "and every time I play the front nine, I put a small packet of cracked corn and wheat in my golf bag and I put the feed at the edge of the pond for Mr. Wickham, who we named after a fictional character created by Jane Austen."

"If anyone would like to join our league," added Joan Muskey, "all they have to do is to show up at Homestead on Monday afternoon at about 4 o'clock, and we'll take care of the rest of the arrangements."

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written  
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SRP

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S ROBERT POWELL  
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CARBONDALE PA 18407-9706

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6-30-01

PAGE 1

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BALANCE AS OF 3-31-01	2,388.46
+DEPOSITS/CREDITS	.00
+INTEREST CREDITED	.00
-WITHDRAWALS/DISTRIBUTIONS	2,388.46
-SERVICE CHARGES	.00
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TAXES WITHHELD	.00
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REMAINING CONTRIBUTION FOR TAX YEAR 2001	2,000.00

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## **TOM FONTANA**

Tom:

Some of the league players made a couple of revisions to the copy of this material that I gave you on Friday. Those revisions are incorporated in the text that follows.

Thanks.

Robert

## **HOMESTEAD MONDAY NIGHT LADIES' LEAGUE**

A lot of fine playing took place at Homestead on Monday, June 25, when seven league members had par on the 16<sup>th</sup> hole: Bev Burkhart, Voncile Echler, Jan Corbett, Helen Falonk, Diane Keough, Mary Ellen Wilson, and Peg Strom.

The three low gross scores that were reported in league play on the back nine were turned in by Jan Corbett (43), Helen Falonk (44) and Nancy Cresswell (45). Thanks to a beautiful chip shot on the 14<sup>th</sup> hole, Helen Falonk didn't have to take her putter out the bag on 14!

The lowest net score for the week (28) was reported by Peg Strom, who is not only the most experienced golfer in the league, but also the author of two important works on local history: one on the village of Dundaff, and one on the Scranton State School for the Deaf (the "Oral School").

The two other low net scores for the week were turned in by Mary Ellen Wilson (29) and Sparta Nardelli (30), who sank a very nice chip shot on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole. Wilson and Nardelli are both registered nurses, the former at Mercy Hospital and the latter at Marian Community Hospital.



The three winners of the low putts for the week competition were Helen Falonk (17), Liz Misko (18), and Mary Ellen Wilson (18). The league players who earned the most points during Monday's play were Helen Falonk (17 points for the week, with a total of 81) and Diane Keough (16 points for the week, with a total of 64).

The point leaders for the season are Jan Corbett (89) and Helen Falonk (81). The two leaders in the competition for the annual Helen Powell award are Jan Corbett (7 points for the week, total of 49) and Carol Granahan (7 points for the week, total of 41).

At the suggestion of the Monday Night Ladies League, the Homestead Golf Course is sponsoring a theme basket in the raffle now going on at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church in Carbondale. "The basket has some very nice golf items in it that Homestead's management has donated to this project," remarked league scorekeeper Joan Muskey. "The assembly of the golf theme basket was done by Janie Howells. It's very attractive and I'm sure it will be a very popular item at the Mount Carmel feast," added Joan Muskey.

The league was pleased to see Donald W. Powell II (son of Homestead's owner, Don Powell) on the course on Monday, even though several members of the league didn't recognize him at first, so much he has grown in the past year. Donald, who regularly pars the course at Homestead, will play in several regional tournaments this month and has played at least 9 holes at Homestead every day since the beginning of his summer vacation in mid-June. In the fall, he will enter the ninth grade.

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Additional information or any questions, contact Donald W. Powell at 282-5197

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PURCHASES	\$147.94	\$846.35	\$147.94	\$0.00	\$846.35
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From: Paul Warner <p-w@rocketmail.com>

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To: "J. Stevens" <butthead2u@yahoo.com>, Thomas <JAMS1THMS@NETZERO.NET>, Cargo Verchuk <carl@epix.net>, Chris Verchuk <lordv@epix.net>, Clark Verchuk <theparkranger@hotmail.com>, "K. Vosh" <k\_vosh@yahoo.com>, David and Rose Warner <djwarner@itech.net>, Terry Warner <TAW@lenahandempsey.com>, Joe's Sister Kim <ECM722@aol.com>, Elizabeth Kippycash <kippycash2000@yahoo.com>, Erin Kologe <fox549@netzero.NET>, Joe Kologe <Jkologe@netzero.net>, Meyers-Meyers-Meyers <mrshift@aol.com>, Kevin Murray <Ecktarr@aol.com>, John Pizza-Man <jpizza@yahoo.com>, "S. Robert Powell" <srobertpowell@juno.com>, Junk <schmuck@altavista.net>, Liz Cruciani <buzylizzy77@yahoo.com>, Mike Cruciani <mikecruc@netzero.net>, Sal Giamber <SAG3574U@AOL.COM>, JR <JohnR@mail.divintech.com>

Cc:

Subject: Mr. Warner.Is.DEAD

Date: Tue, 3 Jul 2001 12:36:51 -0700 (PDT)

REPLY | REPLY ALL | FORWARD [As Attachment]

That is, just my e-mail address.

Net@ddress, my faithful old Web-based e-mail provider, is discontinuing its free service. Yes, yet another free Internet service bites the dust.

After July, mail sent to mr.warner@usa.net will no longer be delivered.

From now on, instead of mr.warner, please think of me as p-w@rocketmail.com.

I'm sorry for any inconvenience this may cause you and your address book(s).

P.S.:

1. CALL 1-800-888-3999 (IT'S STILL FREE)
2. LISTEN TO ALL OF THE OPTIONS
3. AFTER HEARING OPTION #7, HIT 7 AND LISTEN

From: Paul Warner <p-w@rocketmail.com>

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Transmogrifications

Date: Fri, 6 Jul 2001 13:38:58 -0700 (PDT)

REPLY | REPLY ALL | FORWARD [As Attachment]

I still have your pictures that I want to scan in.

I wrecked my computer at home trying to clean the dust out of it. The thieves from Quinn Computer in Scranton then charged me almost \$800 for about \$200 worth of parts and labor so that my machine could be "repaired" to the point of being crippled (instead of completely inert). My crippled machine isn't the best for working on any large files. I need to get a new one and a CD-ROM burner, and then I'll be able to start making real progress on my swollen pile of projects.

By the way, I wrecked my car and bought a new one, so I'll drive if you come around for lunch.

Bye, now.

*Paul is  
one of my  
buddies from  
ICS.*

-- s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> wrote:  
> July 6

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> Paul:

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> Glad to learn that "Mr. Warner.Is.DEAD" but not  
> "dead"—only transmogrified.

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> Free Internet services are what is becoming "dead"  
> these days, as you know. Juno appears to be alive  
> and well (at least for the moment).

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> For the past two or three weeks, they have been  
> "updating" things at Juno. For at least ten days,  
> they were shut down. When I was finally able to  
> access my e-mail, there was an electronic log jam  
> waiting for me.

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> Today, for the first time in weeks, I was able to  
> access my e-mail on the first try.

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> All is well here. Remarkably, I have not had any  
> in-house computer-related crises in quite some time.

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> The big problem for me is finding enough time to do  
> what I want to get done. I don't think it's a time  
> management problem. Maybe I should just learn to say  
> "no" to people who ask me to get involved with  
> certain projects?

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> One of these days, I'll get myself to Scranton  
> before 11 A.M. and I'll give you a call and see if  
> you're available for lunch.

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> SRP



*Écrit par SRP*

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HOMESTEAD LADIES LEAGUE — Two Homestead Monday Night Ladies Golf League players Joan Muskey (left) and Mary Ellen Wilson paused at Hole 13 during league play at Homestead Golf Course on July 2. (Submitted photo)



## HOMESTEAD MONDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE

In league play on the front nine on July 16, Jan Corbett had the lowest gross score with a 46, earning her 17 points for the week, with a total of 61 points. The lowest net score was reported by Barb Beresoroy with 26; lowest putts by Nancy Cresswell with 17.

Liz Misko had a birdie on hole number 1 and pars on numbers 4 and 7, which earned her 16 points for the week, with a total of 34 points.

Peg Strom also shot par on the par 5 number 7, which earned her 10 points for the round, with a gross of 59. Heidi B. "the Wizard" won the prize for the week on double pars.

The league was pleased to welcome three new players on Monday: Tari Ede (her first time playing at Homestead), Lucille Nicholos, and Joan Pallante.

In the Helen Powell Award competition, Carol Granahan earned 9 points for the week, with two pars and one bogie, for a total of 58 points. Jan Corbett leads the league in this competition with a total of 67 points.

Under the direction of the Monday Night Ladies league a new ladies' rest area has been revived on the front nine at Homestead.

On July 23, in league play on the back nine, the lowest gross score was reported by Terry Arnold with a score of 41 (birdie on 16, par on 17), earning her a total of 19 points.

The low net score, 24, was turned in by Michele Heenan, earning her 13 points and 6 points for the Helen Powell Award.

New league member Tari Ede shot birdie on number 17; Jackie Gribble shot birdie on 15. In addition, Maryclair Costanzo shot par on 18, earning her 10 points.

Giny Kleinbauer had a gross score of 43, with pars on both 16 and 17, earning her 16 points.

Jan Corbett is the leader in the Helen Powell Award competition with a total of 73 points. Carol Granahan is catching up to her, with 64 points.

Following league play on the 23rd, Peg Strom entertained the Monday Night Ladies League to refreshments at her home in Waverly. Joan Muskey, Michele Heenan, Barb Beresovoy, Carol Granahan, Jeany Arcangeletti, Gina McDonough, Lucille Nicolos, Hedi B. "Wizzard, Trigger Yatsonsky, and Nancy Cresswell were among those who were able to attend this lovely function hosted by Peg Strom.

Special thanks from league media representative Joan Muskey and family to the members of the Monday Night Ladies league and the management at Homestead for their continued prayers and emotional support as Joan's husband recovers at Carpenter Care Unit, Tunkhannock, following a recent stroke.

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*Exit by SRP*

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**Moosic Grange 1041  
R. D. 1, Waymart, PA 18472**

July 19, 2001

Mr. William A. Steel, Master  
Pennsylvania State Grange  
1604 North Second Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17102

RE: Sale of Moosic Grange 1041

Dear Master Steel:

We were pleased to receive your letter of June 14, 2001, in which you report that the Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania State Grange approved a motion, on June 9, 2001, to place on the market the Moosic Grange real property in Clinton Township, Wayne County, at an asking price of \$1,500.

A resident of Clinton Township (Randy L. Howell, RR #1, Box 1182, Waymart, PA 18472) has come forward and offered to buy the real property of the Moosic Grange in Clinton Township, Wayne County, for \$1,500.

Mr. Howell's attorney, Jeffrey J. Wander, Esquire, Honesdale, has drawn up an Agreement of Sale for the real property in question, and both Mr. Howell and I have signed this agreement. A signed copy of this agreement is enclosed.

We trust that this agreement will meet with your approval and we look forward to receiving the "Affidavit" that will release the Moosic Grange's real property for sale to Mr. Howell.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
Secretary, Moosic Grange 1041  
R. D. 1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706





# Pennsylvania State Grange

1808

1604 North Second Street  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17102  
www.pasgrange.org  
Email: pasgrange.org  
717-634-5001  
717-634-7654

July 24, 2001

S. Robert Powell, Secretary  
Moosic Grange No. 1041  
RR 1 Box 40  
Carbondale PA 18407

Dear Worthy Secretary,

Your letter of July 19 has been received, forwarding the sales agreement between Moosic Grange and Randy Howell of Waymart, for the purchase of the real property of Moosic Grange No. 1041.

The Agreement of Sale meets the asking price established by appraisal and as set by the State Grange Executive Committee.

Enclosed please find the affidavit permitting transfer of title.

Please keep us informed as to the date of closing.

Fraternally yours,

William A. Steel, Master  
PA State Grange

AFFIDAVIT

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

SS:

COUNTY OF DAUPHIN

WILLIAM A. STEEL, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Master of the Pennsylvania State Grange of Patrons of Husbandry, a Pennsylvania nonprofit corporation having its registered address and principal place of business at 1604 North Second Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, 17102, and that all Subordinate or Pomona Granges located throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania are, by their Charter and the laws of the Order of the Patrons of Husbandry, subject to the laws, rules and regulations of the National Grange. The Digest of Laws of the National Grange, Chapter IV, Article XI, Section 4.11.1, as amended, formerly known and numbered as Section 11.1 of Chapter IV and Section 15 of Chapter IX, provides in part that no Subordinate or Pomona Grange shall sell any real property without the prior written consent of the State Grange having jurisdiction and without first adopting a resolution, by a two thirds vote of the members of the said Subordinate or Pomona Grange present and voting, approving the sale of said real property.

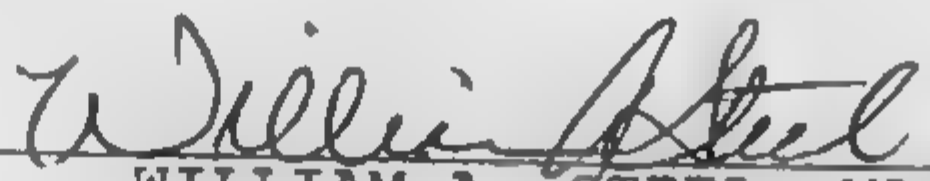
MOOSIC GRANGE NO. 1041 is a Subordinate Grange located in Wayne County, Pennsylvania.

MOOSIC GRANGE NO. 1041 has presented a resolution duly authorized by two-thirds vote and in accordance with Chapter IV, Section 4.11.1 of the Digest of Laws of the National Grange, to sell such property.

The above resolution was approved by the Executive Committee and the Master of the Pennsylvania State Grange by resolution duly adopted at its regular meeting.

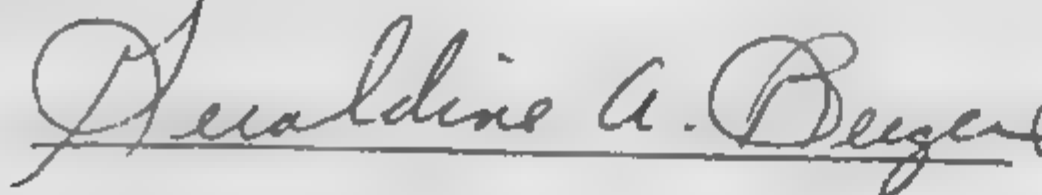
A purchaser of the real estate owned by MOOSIC GRANGE NO. 1041 may now obtain title free from any objections of the PENNSYLVANIA STATE GRANGE.

WILLIAM A. STEEL is authorized to make this Affidavit on behalf of the Pennsylvania State Grange of Patrons of Husbandry and the above-mentioned Subordinate Grange.

  
WILLIAM A. STEEL, MASTER  
Pennsylvania State Grange

ON THIS, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2001, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared WILLIAM A. STEEL, Master of Pennsylvania State Grange having authority to do so, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the purpose therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

 (SEAL)

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

NOTARIAL SEAL  
GERALDINE A. BERGER, Notary Public  
Harrisburg, Dauphin County  
My Commission Expires Sept. 11, 2004

Affidavi.act

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From: "Mail.com Support Center" <mailhelp@staff.mail.com> [Save Address]

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re:

Date: Fri, 20 Jul 2001 21:18:47 -0400

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Dear Member,

Thank you for contacting Mail.com Member Services.

Your issue has been escalated to the appropriate department. We will notify you as soon as the issue is resolved.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Todd Labrie  
Mail.com

Original Message Follows:

Dear Juno:

Copies of my sent messages are not appearing in the "sent mail" file. Is it possible that I could have done something to cause that? If so, please tell me what I have to do to have copies of my sent messages saved in the "sent mail" file.

Thanks.

srobertpowell@juno.com

*I have corrected the problem  
by going to "options" on the  
Juno e-mail page.*



Very nice. Rev Petrin and I were  
the only ones invited from Harcourt.

7/21/01

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*Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Sosik  
request the honour of your presence  
at the marriage of their daughter*

*Amy Virginia*

*to*

*Mr. James Patrick Lurster*

*on Saturday, the twenty-first of July*

*Two thousand and one*

*at half after one o'clock*

*St. Anthony of Padua Church*

*303 Smith Street*

*Dunmore, Pennsylvania*

*Dr. W. Robert Lowell*

*Dinner Reception*  
*at five-thirty*  
*Elmhurst Country Club*  
*Gardner Road*  
*Elmhurst, Pennsylvania*



*The minute I heard my first love story*  
*I started looking for you,*  
*not knowing how blind that was.*

*Lovers don't meet somewhere-*  
*They're in each other all along.*

Rumi



*Now you will feel no rain,  
For each of you will be shelter to the other  
Now you will feel no cold,  
For each of you will be warmth to the other  
Now there is no loneliness,  
For each of you will be companion to the other  
Now you are two bodies,  
But there is only ~~one~~ life before you.  
Go now to your dwelling place  
To enter into the days of your togetherness  
And may your days be good and long upon the earth.*

Apache Wedding Prayer



*Marriage is the union of two divinities  
That a third might be born on earth.  
It is the union of two souls in a strong love  
For the abolishment of separateness.  
It is that higher unity which fuses the separate entities  
within the two spirits.  
It is the golden ring in a chain whose beginning is a glance,  
And whose ending is Eternity.  
It is the pure rain that falls from an unblemished sky to fructify  
And bless the fields of divine Nature  
As the first glance from the eyes of the beloved  
Is like a seed sown in the human heart,  
And the first kiss of her lips like a flower  
upon the branch of the Tree of Life,  
So the union of two lovers in marriage  
Is like the first fruit of the first flower of that seed.*

*Kahlil Gibran*

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# The Sound of Music



Music by Richard Rodgers — Lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II  
Book by Howard Lindsay & Russell Crouse  
Suggested by the book "The Trapp Family Singers" by  
MARIA AUGUSTA TRAPP

\*\*\*\*\*  
June 29, 30,  
July 1, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22  
2001

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Produced through special arrangements with the  
Rodgers and Hammerstein Library  
New York, New York

7/22/01 1815

DWPTT &  
I were  
Joe Pascal's  
guests at  
the  
matinee.  
We all  
enjoyed  
ourselves.  
I was  
pleased that  
Donald  
had the  
chance to  
see the  
interior of  
The Ritz —  
a former movie  
house.

1816

From: Paul Warner <p-w@rocketmail.com>

To: s robert powell <robertpowell@juno.com>

Cc:

Subject: Medieval Maladies

Date: Thu, 26 Jul 2001 13:15:18 -0700 (PDT)

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Being struck near the neck by a lance is probably about the "only" way to get an infected clavicular/sternum joint.

I don't have an infection. I have a sprain -- some overstressed or torn cartilage -- at the end of my collar bone. It's the direct result of months and months of using the mouse with my arm in an awkward position. I started using the mouse in that way (under the counter, near my lap) to favor my shoulder, which had apparently developed a tendency over the years to inflame with bursitis while using the mouse in a more conventional position.

However, since I had a high temperature when the first doctor examined me on the 10th, the medical world has concluded that my swollen shoulder (and clavicle) "must" be due to an infection. Even though nearly all the inflammation in my shoulder had subsided in the hours it took to admit me to the hospital (before any antibiotics were administered), no doctor wants to admit that an incorrect diagnosis had been made. So, I guess just the threat of antibiotics helped heal my "infected" shoulder; the ripped ligaments across my clavical are actually the result of some type of mysterious, invisible bacteria or virus; the possibility of my having a fever from a mild sore throat coincidentally at the same time I succumbed to a repetitive stress injury that affected my right shoulder and clavicle is a medical impossibility; and doctors can never, ever, ever, ever be wrong.

Anyway, it's funny you mentioned two computers. I wish I still had two computers at work. The continual change-up when using those two mice is what probably helped keep my arm from getting hurt in the recent past. Once I ended up with one computer (a few months ago), I started using one mouse in the same way all day, and my shoulder soon suffered from the repetitive stress.

As far as a new computer for home is concerned, I'm not all that busy searching. Right now I'm at the Scranton Public Library -- these fast connections and the up-to-date software here are better than anything I could buy in the foreseeable future.

Congratulations on your cyberachievements at Carbondale, thanks for writing, and see you later!

-- s robert powell <robertpowell@juno.com> wrote:  
> July 26



- >
- > Paul:
- >
- > Glad to learn that your recent hospital stay is in
- > the past and that you are back in action again.
- >
- > An infection of the clavicle! I think that's what
- > Bev or Ginger said you had. How does one get such an
- > infection?
- >
- > It sounds like the kind of malady that a medieval
- > knight might develop from "taking a lance"
- > in a jousting tournament. Or perhaps it's a
- > cybermalady, cause by trying to read and work at two
- > separate computers simultaneously.
- >
- > And speaking of computers, my guess is that you're
- > having a grand time making the decisions that will
- > lead up to the purchase of your new computer.
- >
- > Earlier today, S. Robert (the cyber-troubleshooter
- > at the Carbondale Public Library) figured out why
- > the printer in the Librarian's office wouldn't
- > print. Somehow the printer had been
- > "paused." I went through the start-up menu
- > to "printers" and found the help item
- > about "paused printers" and solved the
- > problem.
- >
- > Talk about the blind leading the blind! At any rate,
- > I am now seen as somewhat of a computer "hot
- > shot" by the librarians (who know even less
- > than I do about such things).
- >
- > Hope to get to Scranton at lunch time one day soon.
- >
- > SRP

7/27/01

1818

Ginger is very civilized and knows how the game is played. What a pleasure!

From: VSosik@harcourt-learning.com

To: "s robert powell" <srobertpowell@juno.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Congratulations

Date: Fri, 27 Jul 2001 08:35:49 -0400

REPLY | REPLY ALL | FORWARD [As Attachment]

Robert,

What a nice note, thank you. It was OUR honor and pleasure to have you as our guest. I think everyone enjoyed themselves and I can't wait for Amy and Jim to get back to hear their take on the wedding. I just can't believe it is over. All the work racking my brains for special touches that weren't ordinary. It took so much time.

I had a bottle of champagne and food ready to invite you, Annmarie, Mike and Bev to come back to my house. With all the distractions in the receiving line and pictures in the church, when Paul and I walked out everyone was gone. I thought for a moment that we would have to walk home. We did get a ride from my nephew Dave. However, it did work out that we were alone. After the incident in the morning, we really needed to relax before greeting everyone at the reception. I only wish my duties as Mother-of-the Bride and hostess didn't hinder on my visit with everyone especially at our table.

Planning a relaxed dinner in the fall for six of us when I come back from vacation in Oct. However, I hope to get together before that. I'll bore you with a tour of my renovations and perhaps you will indulge me by looking at our wedding pictures. Also, I really need a trip to NY.

I hope, my friends and family didn't overwhelm you too much with, "I heard so much about you from Ginger." Yada, yada, yada. They think you are terrific also! :)

Tried calling yesterday to invite you to lunch with me and Bev... You were out. Perhaps another time. She told me that you called Monday, and Paul is back to work.

Please keep in touch. Ginger

1819

I gave them a beautiful pink depression  
glass covered cracker-jar as a  
wedding present.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Lyster

P.O. Box 6601

Moscow, Pennsylvania 18444

Dear Robert,

Jim & I would like to thank you  
for the lovely gift. The beautiful  
depression glass jar is so nice,  
it will become our first family  
reunion.

Again, thank you for your  
thoughtfulness. It is very much  
appreciated.

Cordially,  
Jim & Amy Lyster

← Such  
deplorable  
hand-  
writing.

Ginger's daughter  
Amy & her husband



7/27/01

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Friday July 27th, 2001

**AGA Junior Tournament of Champions****Glen Oak Country Club****TEE-TIMES**

DWP II



*\*Note to Players, you MUST register 30 minutes prior to your tee time, or you will not be allowed to play. 59 Masters Champion Art Wall will hit out the first ball at 8:15 and play will follow. AGA officials will be on site and rules will be strictly enforced.*

8:30	Tony Tosh	Mike Martin	Eric Steindel	Ed Barna
8:40	Justin Boyer	Nick Paone	Don Powell ✓	Aaron Yorkonis
8:50	Justin Alunni	Mike Fehlinger	Zach Tamblyn	Pat Durkin
9:00	Jeff Tamblyn	Ross Brown	Jeff Sandt	Ryan Dimmick
9:10	Jason Brown	Mike Gross	Shea Bittenbender	Kevin Busteed
9:20	Jeff Slivinski	Dan Garvey	Bryan Marzolino	Nick Tomaine
9:30	Jason Stankiewicz	Larry Abrams	Eamon Evans	Mike Hischak
9:40	Jon Celli	Rob Hotchkiss	Ryan Nelson	Pat Brydon
9:50	Colin Hopkins	Mark Sciabucucchi	Bart Rickard	Joe Klobusicky
10:00	Justin Betti	Adam Ceresko	Dustin McCormick	Pat Cummings
10:10	Corey McAlarney	Dave Osborne	Jason Mustapich	Tim Zearfoss
10:20	Jenna Skorupa	Holly Shubilla	Kristina Erat	
10:30	Emily Foran	Emily Salko	Marissa Brennan	

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*SRP was DWP's Champion  
for the occasion.*

OMB No. 1545-0715		1a Date of sale <b>2001</b> Form 1099-B		1b CUSIP No. <b>755111 50 7</b>		2 Stocks, bonds, etc. \$ <b>0.00</b> reported to IRS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gross proceeds less commissions and option premiums <input type="checkbox"/>		Statement for Receipts of Proceeds From Broker and Barter Exchange Transactions	
4 Federal income tax withheld <b>\$ 0.00</b>		Account number (optional) <b>4647-6553</b>		5 Description <b>Sale of Raytheon Fractional Share</b>		Copy B For Recipient This is important tax information and is being furnished to the Internal Revenue Service. If you are required to file a return, a negligence penalty or other sanction may be imposed on you if this income is taxable and the IRS determines that it has not been reported.			
RECIPIENT'S name, address, city, state and ZIP code <b>S ROBERT POWELL RD #1 BOX 40 CARBONDALE PA 18407-9706</b>				PAYER'S name, address, city, state, ZIP code and telephone no. <b>EquiServe, L.P. c/o Raytheon Company P.O. Box 43010 Providence, RI 02940-3010 1-866-820-0127</b>				Form 1099-B	
RECIPIENT'S identification number <b>198-34-0586</b>				PAYER'S Federal identification number <b>04-3285929</b>					

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**Raytheon**

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For Customer Service, call or write  
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SIOUX FALLS, SD  
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ADVANCES	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$846.35	\$23.57	\$846.35	\$0.00	\$23.57

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currant harvest today - which I believe is Edith Gardner's birthday. The two red currant bushes are growing OK and I got about a quart of berries this year. Made a pint &  $\frac{1}{2}$  of currant jelly which is very good. The black currant bushes had a few currants this year. But the good news is that the black bushes have had a major growth burst (2 year old plants) and I think there will be a lot of black currants next year.

7-10-01 - Made a recipe of Grandma Powell's (WSP's mother) "Huckleberry Pudding" - which is a wonderful recipe and which was a big hit with PWP II.

1825

# CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY and MUSEUM, INC.

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

July 12, 2001

Dear Members and Friends:

Enclosed is a copy of the Memorial Park/City Hall card that the Society has had produced to commemorate the sesquicentennial anniversary of the incorporation of the city of Carbondale. These cards are one of the many ways that the Society has significantly contributed to the on-going celebration of the city's 150th birthday.

These cards are now available at the Historical Society, in packets of five cards plus envelopes, for \$5.00 a packet. Or you can also purchase these cards at the Carbondale Public Library, Reynolds Gift Shop, and Barbour's Bakery.

If you would like to order cards through the mail, fill out the form at the bottom of this letter and send it in to the Society.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
President

Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ packets of the Historical Society's Memorial Park/City Hall card.

\$5.00 per packet of five cards X \_\_\_\_\_ (# of packets ordered) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$1.50 postage/packet X \_\_\_\_\_ (# of packets ordered) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Department of Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

## Notice 54

(Rev. January 2000)

### About Your Refund Check ...

The amount of the enclosed refund check is different from the amount shown on your return. You should be receiving a notice in a few days that explains why the amount of the check is different and what additional information, if any, you may need to provide to the Internal Revenue Service. The notice will explain how to contact the Internal Revenue Service if you need to provide additional information or have questions about the notice. Please do not call us until you receive the notice.

If you are certain that the amount of the refund check is too high, please return the original check to the Internal Revenue Service center where you filed your tax return with a letter explaining the reasons why the amount is too high, and we will send you the correct amount. If you do not return the check, you may owe interest.

Catalog Number 45463V

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1828

- Dan Smith phoned to ask me to judge at the Rochester show on 9/30. I would love to, but I am already committed to judge Garden State.
- visited at the Seamans farm this afternoon; Alvin & Clyde will help me straighten tombstones in the Elkdale Cemetery. I am very pleased that they will get involved in the project.
- walked the fence line today — cows doing beautifully. The old cow had a calf a couple of days ago. That's three calves for the season. No problems with the fence.
- visited Anson Tiffany. He's doing fine. I will make sure he gets over to the fair on judging day.
- Corp-in at Hughesville tomorrow.



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1829

Frantic August — as usual. My calendar is covered with appointments and things that have to get done. Three major events — — two of them week-long — — are the Wayne County Fair and the Harford Fair. And the Griswold Reunion falls between the two fairs. No complaints. It's a very enjoyable and gratifying month — but very busy from start to finish.

Wayne County was enjoyable this year — in spite of the very hot (mid-90's + hotter) weather. Showed 86 birds: 16 bantams, 3 Guinea Fowl, 12 pigeons, 55 standards. Sold 16 birds (13 chickens + 3 pigeons) for \$145.00. Had Champion Guinea (Pearl aed cock) and Champion Pigeon (Berlin Short-Faced Tumbler aed cock). Premium check will be received in a few weeks. Judged the Clinton County 4-H

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1830

Poultry show on 8/9. Marched in the  
Carbondale Sesquicentennial Parade on  
8/11 (Joe Pascoe & I carried the city  
flag that the Historical Society  
made 20+ years ago). Made  
the final arrangements to sell  
the Mooser Grange to Randy  
Howell (closing on 8/17 at 1:45 PM  
at attorney Vander's office in  
Honedale). Sent out the Grained  
Reunion notices and made all  
necessary updates to the descendant  
list and mailing list. Regrettably  
DWP II will not be here for the  
Reunion — he is now at "football  
Camp" at his mother's house;  
he will return here probably  
on the 25th of August. At 1 PM  
today, I will go over to the  
Grange and get a load of the

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1831

Tables and Chairs that I bought from the Grange. I will bring them here and we will use them for the Reunion. They will then be stored up in the barn. Spent much of the day yesterday organizing the poultry coop tags at Harford. What a job! Lots of the birds will have to be double cooped. I will take the first load of birds to Harford on Saturday after the Reunion. This year, for the first time, I have also entered 16 items in Dept. 17 (Flowers, etc.): a purple violet, one cactus, one succulent, three "arrangements," and ten fresh flower entries (cosmos, marigolds, zinnias). It will be enjoyable preparing these entries at the door of Floral Hall.



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My zinnias are very nice and I should be able to compete well in the class. Potted plants have to be in the building by Saturday; fresh flowers on Sunday before noon. Pigeons have to be in on Saturday as well. It will be a busy end-of-the-week period.

On Monday the 20th, I will pick up Anson Tiffany and take him to the fairgrounds for the poultry judging. That will be an adventure.

Young birds growing nicely—some very promising Partridge Rock and Orpingtons (buff, black); also some Buff Minorcas that are very respectable—I have re-created the Buff Minorcas and it is a project that is about 4/5th of the way there. I will now get

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another "pure" Buff Minorca from  
Curtis Wakes and cross her  
to my young males. If I can  
get a decent male from Curtis,  
I will do so. As it stands,  
my young cockerels appear to  
be better than the young females.  
I may even show a couple  
of Buff Minorcas this year —  
to show to the poultry world  
my re-creation!

10:30 Am — Dan Shurt and I went to  
the Morris Grange and picked up  
23 of the plank-bottom chairs that  
I bought. Brought them here &  
they are now on the front porch.

11:30 Am — returned for second  
load of chairs (6 more) plus three  
matching pedestal tables, the  
piano stool (claw feet with glass  
ball), also the 2 grange display  
racks that we used at the Fair

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I returned to the Grange at 1 PM and met Doris Howell and Ruth Pranzitelli there and we went through the kitchen things at the Grange and divided them up. Among the nice things that I brought back are a mint condition Copper boiler, a beautiful oblong ironstone bowl, about 20 old fashioned white coffee cups (some large-sized), enamel Kettles and basins, old Kitchen utensils, old glasses, lovely green bowls, nice yellow bowls, and a lot more. Yet to pick up are eight nice home made benches, four very long tables (with screw in pipe legs), about a dozen nice old folding chairs, a Victorian dish cupboard. Dmaed



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arranged with the husband of one of the women who used to help us take care of Mom to transport the long tables here on Wednesday morning. We will set up the long tables as one unit on the front porch for the Reunion. It should be a very nice Reunion set up. With everyone seated at one table at the Reunion, the crowd should be easier to manage, and the business meeting should be easier to conduct. And even if it rains, it will not be a problem because we'll all be on the porch.

Very successful day of getting Grange cleaned out. I never dreamed that three loads would be possible in one day.

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1836

Penn DOT meeting tomorrow at 10 AM;  
following that I will return here  
and pack up three turkeys and  
take them to Nicholson and then  
go up to Harford and do more  
work on getting the poultry  
building ready for the Fair.

Then again on Thursday I will  
go to Harford and then the 4-H  
group will be there and we  
should be able to put the  
finishing touches on the poultry  
building. Perhaps I will take  
my three potted plant entries  
up to the Fair on Friday, along  
with my pigeons. The logistics  
of getting my many entries  
to Harford will be worked out  
in the next few days.

08-13-01-9

1837

Bought a copy of "The Real Mother Goose - 1918 Paul McNally edition in its 77th printing, Nov. 1984. What a treasure! It's wonderful to read these rhymes in their complete form. I never realized, for example, that there is a second stanza to the famous "Jack and Jill" —  
stanza 2 —

"Then up Jack got and off did trot,  
as fast as he could caper,  
To old Dame Oat, who patched  
his robe  
with vinegar and brown paper."

and how about the well known  
third line of "Banbury Cross"



08-13-01-10

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"Ride a cock-horse to Banbury Cross  
To see an old lady upon a white  
→ Rings on her fingers, <sup>horse,</sup> and bells  
on her toes  
She shall have music wherever  
she goes."



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Dear Taxpayer:

We are pleased to inform you that the United States Congress passed and President George W. Bush signed into law the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001, which provides long-term tax relief for all Americans who pay income taxes.

The new tax law provides immediate tax relief in 2001 and long-term tax relief for the years to come.

As part of the immediate tax relief, you will be receiving a check in the amount of \$300.00 during the week of 09/17/2001.

Your amount is based on information you submitted on your 2000 federal tax return and is just the first installment of the long-term tax relief provided by the new law. The amount of the check could be reduced by any outstanding federal debt you owe, such as past due child support or federal or state income taxes. You need to take no additional steps. Your check will be mailed to you. You will not be required to report the amount as taxable income on your federal tax return.

On the reverse side of this letter is information on how your check amount was calculated. If you need additional information, please visit the IRS web site at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or call 1-800-829-4477. Please keep a copy of this notice with your tax records.

## Homestead Monday Night Ladies League

In league play on the front nine on July 16, Jan Corbett had the lowest gross score with a 46, earning her 17 points for the week, with a total of 61 points. The lowest net score was reported by Barb Beresovoy with 26; lowest putts by Nancy Cresswell with 17. Liz Misko had a birdie on hole number 1 and pars on number 4 and 7, which earned her 16 points for the week, with a total of 34 points. Peg Strom also shot par on the par 5 number 7, which earned her 10 points for the round, with a gross of 59. Heidi B. "the Wizard" won the prize for the week on double pars.

The league was pleased to welcome three new players on Monday: Tari Ede (her first time playing at Homestead), Lucille Nicholas, and Joan Pallante.

In the Helen Powell Award competition, Carol Granahan earned 9 points for the week, with two pars and one bogie, for a total of 58 points. Jan Corbett leads the league in this competition with a total of 67 points. Under the direction of the Monday Night Ladies league a new ladies' rest area has been revived on the front nine at Homestead.

On July 23, in league play on the back nine, the lowest gross score was reported by Terry Arnold with a score of 41 (birdie on 16, par on 17), earning her a total of 19 points.

The low net score, 24, was turned in by Michele Heenan, earning her 13 points and 6 points for the Helen Powell Award.

New league member Tari Ede shot birdie on number 17; Jackie Gribble shot birdie on 15. In addition, Maryclair Costanzo shot par on 18, earning her 10 points.

Giny Kleinbauer had a gross score of 43, with pars on both 16 and 17, earning her 16 points.

Jan Corbett is the leader in the Helen Powell Award competition with a total of 73 points. Carol Granahan is catching up to her, with 64 points.

Following league play on the 23rd, Peg Strom entertained the Monday Night Ladies League to refreshments at her home in Waverly. Joan Muskey, Michele Heenan, Barb Beresovoy, Carol Granahan, Jeany Arcangeletti, Gina McDonough, Lucille Nicolos, Hedl B. "Wizard", Trigger Yatonsky, and Nancy Cresswell were among those who were able to attend this lovely function hosted by Peg Strom.

Special thanks from league media representative Joan Muskey and family to the members of the Monday Night Ladies and the management at Homestead for their continued prayers and emotional support as Joan's husband recovers at Carpenter Care Unit, Tunkhannock, following a recent stroke.

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## City marks 150th year with Main St. parade

By Tom Flannery

The pioneer spirit proved to be alive and well on Saturday afternoon as over 200 Carbondaleans lined both sides of Main St. for a parade commemorating the city's 150th anniversary.

The line-up of parade participants began at noon, stretching from the Lincoln Ave. intersection of Main St. back into the farthest corner of the Ben-Mar Restaurant parking lot. Parking was banned by the city along the parade route starting at 10 a.m. and remained in effect until the event ended.

The parade kicked off at 1 p.m., led by the Carbondale Mounted Police and followed by participants such as the Carbondale Fire Dept., Carbondale Area Band & Marching Units, Carbondale Area Cheerleaders, Ronald McDonald, Carbondale Historical Society, Knights of Columbus, Lynnette's Twirlettes, Kristy's Touch of Class, Trinity Building Inc., Community Bank & Trust, Pennstar Bank, Honesdale National Bank, Homer's Plumbing, the Lenoxville Band, area Scout troops, and a contingent of local politicians which included State Rep. Edward Staback, City Council members and Carbondale Area School Board directors.

Floats included one by the city which featured a replica of Carbondale City Hall, ridden by Mayor John Jordan and his wife Bernadette Jordan; a



**HISTORIC MARCH** — Carbondale Historical Society members Dr. S. Robert Powell, left, and Joseph Pascoe proudly carried the organization's banner down Main St. to celebrate the City's 150th anniversary. (NEWS photo by Tom Flannery)

patriotic collaboration by the Greater Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce, Gentex Corp. and Gentex Optics honoring the city's military heroes from various wars, which was ridden by a group of local veterans; and a Hendrick Manufacturing Co. float that marked the company's 125th anniversary.

The parade proceeded from Lincoln Ave. to 8th Ave. on Main Street, then turned onto River St. and came back to 7th Ave., then turned onto Mill St. and concluded at the Pioneer City Train Station. Local DJ Mike Critchley announced the event from the balcony of the city building.

Following the parade, local

organizations offered food, games and attractions in the parking lot and out in front of City Hall. The Carbondale Business Association held a chicken barbecue and the Trinity Club had a food stand. The Carbondale Public Library conducted a bake and book sale, and the Carbondale Kiwanis Club sold souvenir ornaments and banners.

"Everything went very well," offered CBA president Bernadette Lepre. "The weather was really nice, we had a good turn-out, and everyone seemed to be getting into the spirit of celebrating our city's anniversary. I thought it was wonderful."

## Carbondale Historical Society

Representing the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum in today's parade are S. Robert Powell (president) and Joseph Pascoe (treasurer), who are carrying the Carbondale city flag that was created by the Historical Society at the time when Carbondale City Hall was listed in the National Register of Historic Places in 1983

The Historical Society was established at the time of America's bicentennial and in the course of the past quarter century the Historical Society has done/continues to do a lot of good for the community as a whole. At present the Society is hard at work establishing a Delaware and Hudson Transportation Museum and Research Center on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall.

*[Read by Mike Critchley as  
Joe & I passed in front  
of City Hall during the  
150th anniversary parade]*

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August 2001

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Dear Mr. & Mrs. Perham,  
It was nice to visit with you  
at the Wayne County Fair on  
Tuesday.

Enclosed is a copy of what I  
have on Porter & Alicia Kennedy  
and their descendants. As  
you can see, there is a lot  
of information that I don't  
have on the Kennedy line.

Some time this summer or  
fall, I would like to meet  
with you and perhaps you  
can help me to update the  
information that I have.

Sincerely,  
S. Robert Powell

# " Honoring The Military "

## Carbondale's 150th Celebration



Captain Patrick DeLacey, Civil War Hero,

Congressional Medal of Honor

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Congressional Medal of Honor

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Captain John T. Race

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Lieutenant General Aloysius G. Casey

Lieutenant General Martin J. Ryan Jr.

Major George R. McAllister, Jr.

The Greater Carbondale Area  
Chamber of Commerce

takes pride in

" Honoring Our Veterans "

All are welcome to join in the celebration.

Carbondale will start it's

Sesquicentennial Celebration with a parade down

Main Street starting at 1:00

Saturday, August 11, 2001

The Greater Carbondale Area

Chamber of Commerce

will host a Cocktail Party (Cash Bar) at

The Fairway Restaurant

overlooking

Panorama Golf Course, Forest City, Pa.

Adams Cable is proud to Sponsor the Event.

3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. at \$12.00 per person.

Lieutenant General Aloysius G. Casey

Captain John T. Race

will be in the parade and at the Cocktail Party.

Displays will be set up to view old uniforms, medals and history  
of our Veterans being honored.

Families of those deceased will also set up displays in their  
memories.

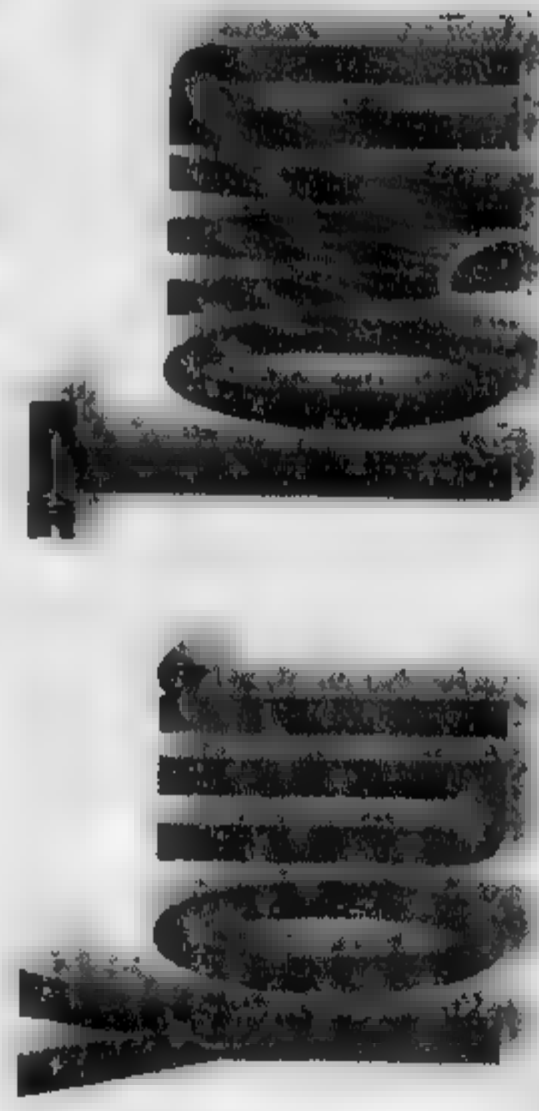
This will allow everyone to mingle and meet our Veteran Heros.  
Proceeds Benefit The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center

For mor Details Call The Chamber office - 282-1690

*The event should have taken place in Carbondale!*

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# 'Carbondale Day' to tout city, observe

*Festivities begin today  
with a parade at 1 p.m.*

BY MICHAEL SADOWSKI  
REGIONAL STAFF WRITER

CARBONDALE — For the past two years, "Carbondale Day" has been celebrated on the second Saturday in August.

This year, the day takes on even more meaning, as it adds to its celebration of the present a remembrance of the past to commemorate the city's 150th anniversary.

But the theme of the day, as it was when the Carbondale Busi-

ness Association started the event in 1999, is to promote the city.

"We've got a lot to offer, and it's a chance for the businesses to get their names out to the public," business association President Bernadette Lepre said. "Each business should take advantage of this the best they could, because there are going to be hundreds of people in the downtown area."

The day begins at 1 p.m., when a parade featuring floats and attractions will begin at the Ben-Mar Restaurant on Main Street and travel through the city.

The parade will include at least four floats. Representatives from the city, the business association and historical society, Hendrix Manufacturing and the Greater Carbondale Chamber of Commerce have all built floats for the parade.

The Hendrix float will be a reminder that the city isn't the only local entity with a special birthday. The Carbondale manufacturing plant turns 125 this year and the float will commemorate the event.

The float built by the city is a replica of Carbondale City Hall, but the most interesting float could be the one built by the

Greater Carbondale Chamber of Commerce.

The organization will sponsor an "Honoring the Military" float, celebrating the city's distinguished history in the armed services.

Riding on the float will be Lt. Gen. Aloysius G. Casey and Capt. John T. Race. Lt. Gen. Casey, who retired from the Navy in 1988 after 34 years of service, is a recipient of the Eugene M. Zuckert Management Award, the Navy's highest management honor.

Capt. Race's brightest military moment came at the conclusion of World War II when the

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 2001

# 150th birthday

Allied Forces entrusted him to fly German Army Chief of Staff Alfred Jodl to meet the Allied Forces in France to sign Germany's unconditional surrender.

The float will also honor Civil War hero Capt. Patrick DeLacey and 2nd Lt. Joseph R. Sarnoski, both of whom won the Medal of Honor.

Other honorees include Lt. Col. Peter Rooney, Master Gunner Sgt. Harold W. Hazen, Lt. Gen. Games W. Walsh, Gen. Jerome O'Malley, Lt. Gen. Martin Ryan and Maj. George McAllister.

Following the parade, the

chamber will hold a cocktail party at the Fairway Restaurant at Panorama Golf Course until 5:30 p.m. Tickets for the event are \$12. Proceeds from the party benefit the proposed Anthracite Historical Discovery Center to be built in Carbondale.

The business association will have its annual chicken barbecue after the parade behind City Hall. Also, local organizations such as the Kiwanis Club and the high school will have food and game booths set up during the day.

"It's a good, fun day to come out and celebrate what the city has to offer," Mrs. Lepre said.

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# 2001 GRISWOLD REUNION

Saturday, August 18, 2001

This year's GRISWOLD REUNION will take place on Saturday, August 18, 2001, at the Homestead Golf Course, on Route 106 (between Carbondale and Clifford).

The Reunion will begin at 11:30 A.M., with a registration period. At noon, a covered-dish dinner will be served. Everyone is to bring a covered dish as well as his own table service. If you would like to bring friends with you (even though they are not Griswolds), please feel free to do so.

Following the covered-dish meal, the 2000 Griswold Reunion business meeting will take place.

The third annual GRISWOLD GOLF TOURNAMENT will take place at this year's reunion at the Homestead Golf Course. For information about the golf course and the tournament and about this year's Griswold Reunion, telephone Donald W. Powell (570-282-5197).

We look forward to seeing you.

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Enclosed is my check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_, payable to *Griswold Reunion*, which is my contribution to the Griswold Reunion for 2001.

Mail your donation to the Treasurer:

Donald W. Powell  
R. D. 1, Box 40  
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## **2001 GRISWOLD REUNION**

### **Information Sheet**

Mail this Information Sheet to the Corresponding Secretary/Historian of the Griswold Reunion (S. Robert Powell, R. D. 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706) or bring it with you to the Reunion on August 18, 2001, at the Homestead Golf Course, R. D. 1, Carbondale, PA.

1. The following births, deaths, and marriages took place in my family during 2000-01:

2. The following graduations, promotions, and significant achievements took place in my family during 2000-01, and I would like them to be recorded in the official minutes of the Griswold Reunion:

3. Please make the following additions and/or corrections to the mailing list of the Griswold Reunion:



## Third Annual Griswold Open

August 18, 2001

The **Homestead Golf Course**, site of today's Third Annual *Griswold Open*, is located on Route 106, three miles west of Carbondale. It was designed and constructed by Walter Silas Powell (01-12-1913-04-20-1994) and Russell Thomas Powell (07-22-1946-01-02-1985), son of Walter and Helen (Russell) Powell.

The Homestead Golf Course is situated on the James and Margaret (Gillespie) Russell homestead, which was established in 1841 and which has been in the family ever since. In the late 1980s, through the efforts of S. Robert Powell, son of Walter and Helen Powell, the Russell Homestead was officially recognized by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a Century Farm.

The Homestead Golf Course opened on May 20, 1962. It was operated by Walter and Helen Powell and Russell Powell until 1987, when it was closed. For the period 1962-1972, there were 9 holes; 1973-1974, 14 holes; 1975 on, 18 holes.

On April 27, 1998, Donald W. Powell, son of Walter and Helen Powell, and Donald's son, Donald, reopened the Homestead Golf Course. They continue to operate the course.

The inaugural *Griswold Open* took place at the Homestead Golf Course on August 10, 1999. The winner of the inaugural *Griswold Open* was Donald W. Powell II.

It is fitting that the annual *Griswold Open* should take place on a golf course with direct Griswold connections.

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Thanks Janet, the photos are up on the website now. If you or Robert would like to write a short summary of the meeting, or photo captions, I will include that. I plan to split the page into three since the 16 photos take so long to download. But I would rather not put names on the website, just general descriptions of the event.

Thanks! Barbara

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Wednesday, September 12

Dear Janet and Barbara:

The photos of the August 2001 Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion on the GFA webpage look great. Thank you, both, for making them a reality in cyberspace.

A couple of corrections:

This year's reunion took place at the Homestead Golf Course, Carbondale, PA (not Honesdale). Next year's NEPA Griswold Reunion, August 17, 2002, will also take place at the Homestead Golf Course.

The main item on the agenda for next year's NEPA Griswold Reunion in August will be "final plans" for the GFA annual meeting on October 11-13, 2002 at the Bryn Mawr Camp in Honesdale, PA.

A few notes/thoughts that might be useful for a general caption for the 16 photos of the 2001 NEPA Griswold Reunion now on the webpage:

This year's NEPA Griswold Reunion, hosted by S. Robert and Donald W. Powell, took place at the Homestead Golf Course, Carbondale, PA. A large and enthusiastic group of family members enjoyed a bountiful covered-dish luncheon at noon. In the early afternoon, the annual business meeting took place. An organizing committee, under the direction of John and Amy Rude, was formed to prepare for the 2002 annual meeting of the Griswold Family Association, which will be hosted by the NEPA Griswold Reunion at the Bryn Mawr Camp in Honesdale, PA, October 11-13, 2002.

If you would like additional information for the captions, I will be happy to do what I can.

Sincerely,

Robert



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# Griswold Family Association

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## The Griswold Family Association of America, Inc.

The Griswold Family Association was founded in 1930, to collect, preserve, and disseminate genealogical and historic facts relating to the origin and growth of the Griswold family in America. The GFA has 420 members and holds Annual Reunions in the Eastern and Western areas of the United States.

- ✱ The 126th edition of the GFA Bulletin was mailed to members on August 21st. This quarterly publication features articles on Griswold genealogy, Griswold places to visit, Notable Griswolds, Griswold Things and information about future meetings and publications
- ✱ Click here for [Membership Information](#), and sign up now!!
- ✱ **NEW** GFA Heritage Tour to England in July, 2002. Visit this page to see pictures and links to sites we are going to visit. Registration forms are in the quarterly Bulletin
- ✱ **NEW** [Publications](#) coming in 2001 and 2002; watch for pre-publication offers
- ✱ Researching your family line? Check our [Surname Index](#) for a connection.
- ✱ GFA members have [Queries](#): do you have the answers?

**We are gathering again for our 2001 reunions. Check our [Events](#) page for details of our summer and fall meetings.**

- ✱ The [Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion](#) met on August 18 in Hopedale, PA. Click to see photos of the meeting
- ✱ The [2001 Western Area Reunion](#) met in Carlsbad, CA on August 25. Photos will be posted in September
- ✱ The [2001 Annual Reunion](#) of the GFA will take place in Wethersfield, Connecticut on October 6, 2001. The one-day meeting will focus on Arts & Crafts of New England and will include Afternoon High Tea at the Michael Griswold House. Click here for information and registration form

## OUR HEADQUARTERS: THE MICHAEL GRISWOLD HOUSE

The Griswold Family Association owns and maintains an historic house in Wethersfield, Connecticut. The original house was owned by Michael Griswold; most of the house as it exists today was constructed in 1730 by his son, Michael. A History Of The Michael Griswold House, a research project headed by Dr. Sara French, plans to publish their findings in 2002.

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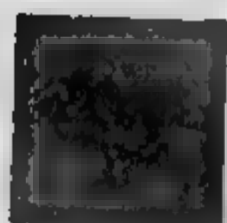
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## 2001 NEPA

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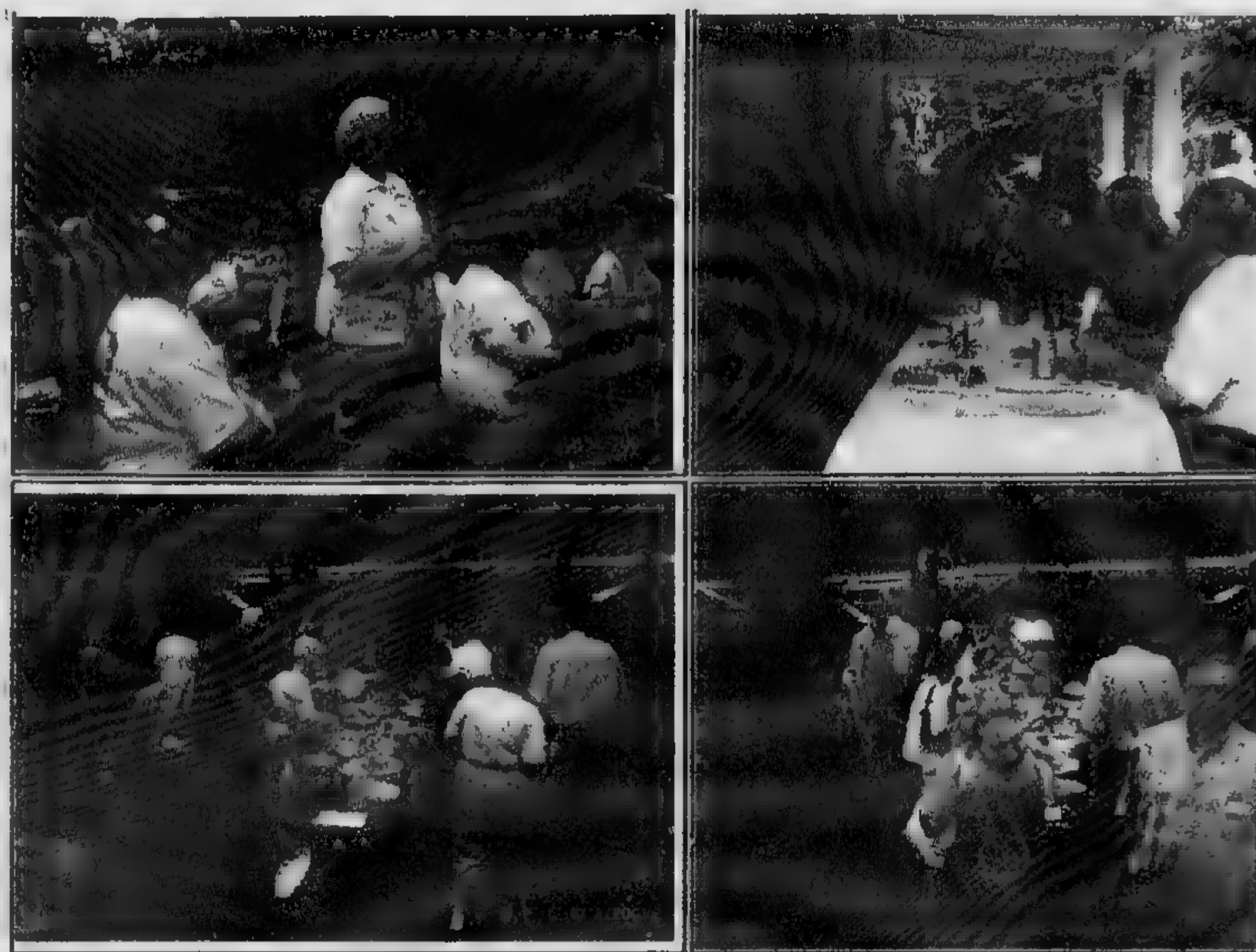
The 95th Annual Reunion of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion took place on Saturday, August 18, 2001 in Honesdale PA. The forty-four attendees enjoyed a delicious pot-luck dinner, which was followed by the annual business meeting. Among those addressing the group were S. Rol Powell, John Rude, Louise Hawley, and Janet Mann. Next year's reunion is planned for Saturday, August 17, 2002.

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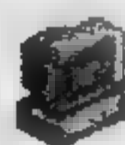
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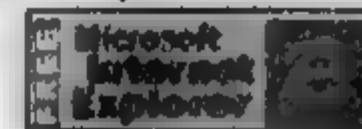
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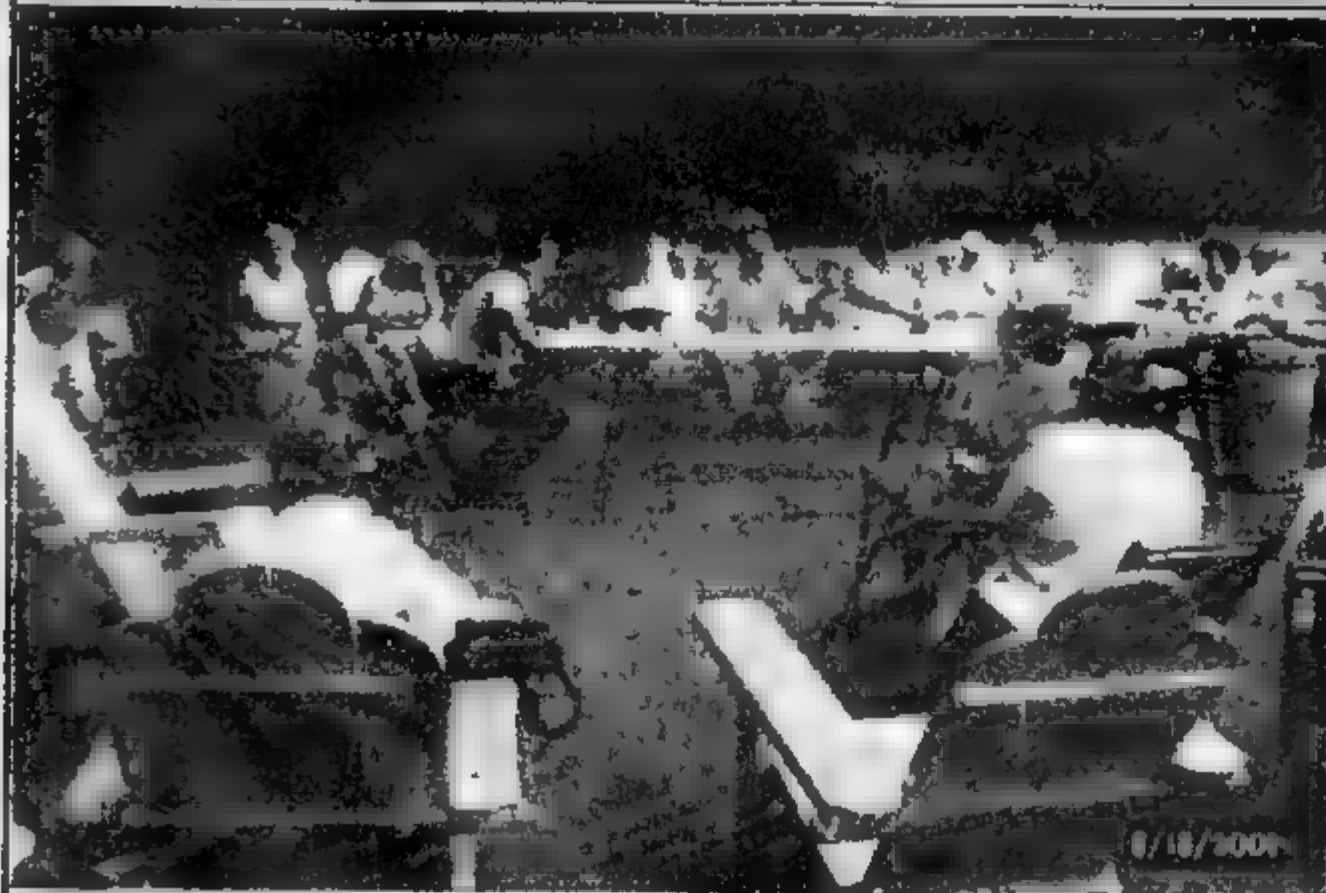
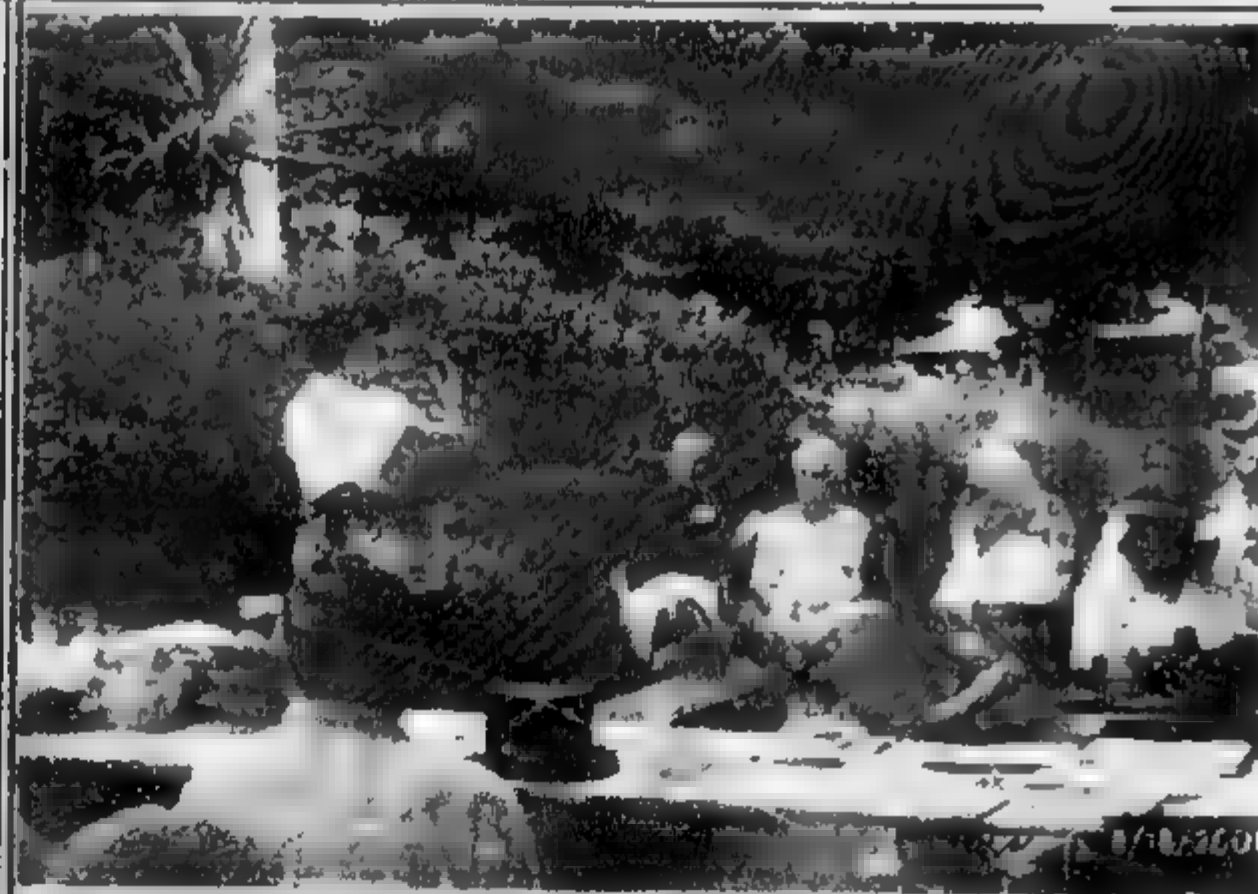
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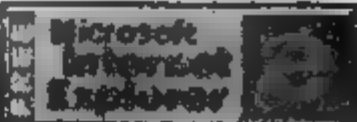


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# **The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center**



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## **The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center**

### **Mission Statement**

**The Mission of the Anthracite Historical Discovery Center, located in Carbondale Pa. at the site of the first underground Anthracite Mine in America, is an educational organization to recreate and restore the pride and preserve the rich heritage of our forefathers. This non-profit organization will provide learning opportunities, impacting all ages, through it's resources and programs at the center and throughout regional venues.**

## **The Greater Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce**

**Initiating an exciting and unique project to augment area tourism venues and preserve the rich historical value which makes northeastern Pa so unique, The Greater Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce is developing a Children's Mining and Historical Discovery Center. The Center will recreate and restore the pride, preserve the rich heritage our forefathers embraced when "Coal Was King" in the Upper Valley of Lackawanna County.**

**Monies from this years Chamber Family Night Bowl-A-Thon are dedicated to supporting this project.**

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**Proposal  
For  
The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center  
Carbondale, Pennsylvania 18407**

The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center request for a Comprehensive Program for Master Planning to guide their creation of a Historical Learning Center in Carbondale, Pa. by the year 2005. This project represents the exciting opportunity to present the profound and compelling stories of the Anthracite Region in a significant manner to the ever growing tourist audience, as well as to our local population.

The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center is planned to be located in an existing building, which was donated for the purpose of developing such a facility. The building is appropriately located in a significant setting, which sits adjacent to the site of the first deep-underground anthracite coalmine in the Western Hemisphere.

The Anthracite Discovery Center seeks a creative firm with experience in master planning for the creation of this discovery center's physical planning and program development.

**Project Background**

For the past three years, the Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce has been its attention on the founding industries and community ethnic heritage of the area. In partnership with the Lackawanna Valley Heritage Authority, meetings have been held to determine the initial reaction to the creation of the Anthracite Historical Discovery Center. Focusing on non-duplication of services and facilities, members of the Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce have met with key project leaders, government officials and industry / educational persons in an effort to build a base of support for the proposed center.

In addition, members of the Grants / Development Team have visited several other Discovery Centers to become familiar with the physical plant layouts and practices of these facilities as well as the design concepts and interpretative presentations.

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## **Project Description**

**Goal:** The goal of this Anthracite Historical Discovery Center is to connect the Anthracite Area stories to a large percentage of community and regional residents as well as the increasing annual number of tourists visiting our area and touring various teaching and hands-on techniques within an accessible and attractive facility is the outcome overall goal.

**Facility:** The donated building located on the historically significant site of 7th Avenue, Carbondale, Pennsylvania is a structurally sound facility of approximately 20,000 square feet on two floors. The building is located adjacent to the county railroad line that currently allows for rail tours to the valley, and may serve as a connection to other sites within the Heritage Valley. It is anticipated the existing exterior of the building will be modified to reflect the new building use and act as a means to attract visitors.

**General Space Requirements:** The Discovery Center has the following general requirements: Space for interpretive exhibits with extensive interactive components, educational areas for structured school services and public programs for all age groups, collections and exhibits support facilities, visit service area including retail shop and possible food service, administrative areas and storage. A theater is desired to be located within the structure to further add to the visitor experience. It is anticipated that collected donated memorabilia will be stored on site. An area will be required for the storage of collections, collection processing, study and administration of the facility.



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## A kick off of our Fundraising Project for 2001

### The Greater Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce



#### Bowl-A-Thon Chamber Family Night

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#### The Great TV Channel Bowl Off

Come and cheer for your favorite TV Channel.  
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Channel 5 - Fox/Wolf 56

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Who will SURVIVE  
the Challenge???

Thursday Night - June 28th, 2001

Valley Lanes Bowling

1 Meridith Street - Carbondale Twp., Pa

5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Bowl-A-Thon Mixer, Refreshments, Prizes...

A Special Thank-You to everyone that helped make this event a success!!!

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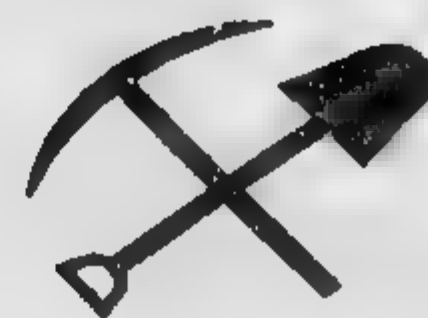
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## **Project Description**

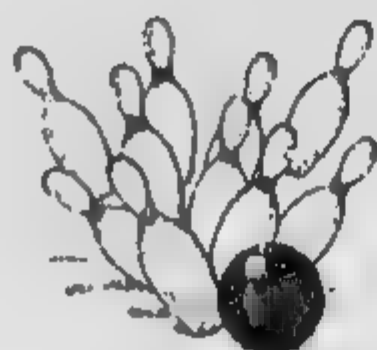
**Scope of Services Required:** Provide a comprehensive program of master planning to include but are not limited to the following components: Review of Organizational Structure, Assessment of existing building and site, Review of Business Plan and Retail Opportunities, Market Study of Regional Comparables, Conceptual Interpretative Plan, Project Design and Construction Budget, Project Implementation Schedule, Schematic Architectural Design for Selected Adaptive Reuse. A Team approach led by a prime consultant is preferred. It is anticipated that the bulk of funding for this project will come from grants from private and government sources. Capital campaign planning is not within the scope of services required.

**Project Master Plan Budget:** Provide a cost for professional services on a task-by-task basis using the above outlined Scope of Services. The Selection Committee reserves the right to negotiate a final scope of services based on task costs and available funding.

**Project Schedule:** The Master Planning Project will commence on or after August 1, 2001 and be completed on or before May 30, 2002.

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# The Great TV Channel Bowl Off SURVIVOR Contest



Who will SURVIVE  
the Challenge???

## Chamber Family Night Bowl - A - Thon

Thursday Night  
June 28th, 2001  
Valley Lanes  
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

. Bowl - A - Thon Mixer  
. Refreshments  
. Prizes, Prizes, Prizes  
. Everyone is Welcome!!!

\*\*\* Circle the Winning Team and Win\*\*\*

### Wol/Fox TV

1. Thom Welty
2. Mike Yarnsuzi
3. Paul Rosaghioli
4. Akio Cardoeni
5. Bob Bouika
6. Lee Ann Orsherk

### WNEP

1. Joe Snedeker
2. Danielle Schlesler
3. Scott Schaffer
4. Frank Gerardi

### WYOU

1. Mike Conigliaro
2. Scott Staccia
3. Atty. Tom Munley
4. To be Announced

### WBRE

1. Sherri Johnson
2. Denise
3. Kevin Dermody
4. To be Announced

**The Greater Carbondale Area  
Chamber of Commerce**  
1 North Main Street - City Hall  
Carbondale, Pa. 18407  
Phone: 282-1690

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To enter the contest: Circle the TV Team that you think will win.

All entries must be in box provided by Thursday 7:00pm. (6/28/2001) at Valley Lanes Bowling

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



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### **Proposal Requirements:**

- \* Company Information
- \* Resume of experience in master planning for historical or similar museums
- \* Sample creative approach for this project
- \* Scope of work proposed
- \* List of potential subcontractors
- \* Work process
- \* Proposed work schedule
- \* References
- \* Professional fee breakdown
- \* Any other written information deemed appropriate by submitter

### **Deadline For Submission of Proposal:**

Friday, July 20, 2001. Please include original and five (5) copies of the proposal.

### **Inquires And Further Information:**

Inquires may be directed to Darlene Ferraro-Ploch,  
President, c/o Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce,  
1 North Main Street, Carbondale, Pa. 18407.  
Phone: (570)282-1690

### **Selection Process and Schedule:**

The Center's Board of Directors will review proposals and invite representatives of prospective firms to come to Carbondale during the period of July 23-July 30, 2001. The visit will include a tour of the building and the opportunity to make a presentation to the Board of Directors. It is anticipated that the selection of the professional firm will be made the week of August 6, 2001

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**Prize "A Night Out On The Towns"**

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# Century ago, outing offered brief

What do you know, here I am standing in front of the announcement board near the D & H Railroad Station. I had not decided what to do for the holiday this year because my coin supply is pretty low, my cash non-existent. But this caught my eye.

"Labor Day at Lake Lodore — Greatest Excursion of the City Sponsored by Central Labor Union of Scranton. Music by Bauer's Band and Lawrence's Orchestra. Lots of Row Boats and Launches to Rent."

It will only cost me \$1 to take the train, and what a day of fun I could have. Our great leader, John Mitchell, will be speaking along with some of the other union bosses. The weather should be nice, and there will be people there I know from the mines and from church.

My milk is 8 cents a quart, newly advertised for September 1901. The mayor of Scranton is getting himself in trouble by closing down the speakeasies. A few days after Labor Day, I see that the Lyceum theater will feature William Gill in "Puddin' Head Wilson" by Mark Twain. The Poli just opened in the building which was once the Gaiety.

The Globe Warehouse announces that it has silk ties for 18 cents, ladies white petticoats for 89 cents. McCain's has men's patent leather oxfords on sale at 98 cents, normally \$3. The Goldsmith Ba-



Rabbi David Geffen

zaar is featuring ready made dresses for children size 4-12 from 98 cents to \$4.98.

You know what, I better purchase my excursion ticket on Saturday, the last day of August, since I hear the trains are going to be packed on Monday. Scranton will be empty on Labor Day since we are all going to Lake Lodore to enjoy ourselves with the music, the picnics and the boating. The Delaware and Hudson has been running excursion trains to the lake for about 5 years. I need something new.

Last year, the summer of 1900, that mine strike got pretty rough. Then in December all the motormen and conductors of the Street Railway Co. went on strike. Since urban transportation is essential, the differences were patched up in a week. In the mines, unionizing and unrest raged.

As a mine worker, I respect Mr. John Mitchell. I am excited about hearing him. John Mitchell was only elected president of the United Mine Workers two years ago, but he is always working

for us. When he called a strike of 8,000 members of the union in 1900, 80,000 men and boys went out on strike.

Thankfully, it was the year of the presidential election. Sen. Mark Hanna, chairman of the Republican Party, wanted McKinley to be elected. Hanna put fierce pressure on the mine operators and they had to settle after only 33 days. We all got a 10 percent pay increase. This raise was just "flung at us," Mitchell said. I think that our leader is going to win even more concessions for us.

As a new immigrant, I am thrilled with the Scranton Correspondence School. Back in the 1880s regulation of the mining industry began. Then, a law was passed that every mine foreman had to take an exhaustive test to demonstrate he knew about mining procedures and regulations. The one book with all the answers was "The Colliery Engineer" written by Mr. Thomas J. Foster and published locally.

That Mr. Foster, he is mighty smart. With so many requests coming to him for his book he set up a correspondence school for miners. Earlier this year Mr. Foster persuaded his publisher to join him in establishing the Scranton Correspondence Schools. Sounds like a pretty good idea, but who knows if this Correspondence School will last?



# respite from labor unrest

**Men are being discharged without cause, contracts are being violated, and an entirely unwarranted opposition is being manifested towards the United Mine Workers of America.'**

Better get to the station early. I want to join my brother toilers in this "monster celebration."

We are stuffed onto the train. Dickson City is the first stop, then Olyphant, Jessup, Eynon, Peckville, the train is so full, the windows are open, the bonnets flutter, the flowers outside are so pretty. As we get near Carbondale, we can hear the fife and drums, and the tubas. Today is the 50th anniversary of the founding of Carbondale. Those who don't go to Lake Lodore will surely be in Carbondale for the festivities.

As we get near, we see the picnickers with their baskets. We hear music and singing. I rush down to Lake Lodore. Rowboats glide over the waters. The glee clubs compete at noon, with Professor Hayden Evans as judge.

The comes the highlight: John Mitchell's address.

"On the whole, I would say that the conditions in the mining field are not satisfactory. Men are being discharged

without cause, contracts are being violated, and an entirely unwarranted opposition is being manifested towards the United Mine Workers of America.

"That is what is claimed by the men themselves. I believe that these complaints, moreover, are the result of the action of local managements, not done with the knowledge or consent of heads of companies, who I do not think would endorse the moves of superintendents and bosses who are enforcing these conditions."

Then Mitchell called on those who had not joined to affiliate with the UMW. The union leaders who followed echoed Mitchell's sentiments.

Enough of this, I am here to enjoy myself. Gosh if I could see a 100 years ahead, what would Scranton be like? What about the USA? Sitting by this lake is so relaxing, who needs to think about the future? I hear that President McKinley went to the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo today. That Teddy Roosevelt, the vice-president is some guy.



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GOD BLESS AMERICA

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----- Forwarded by Jeff Ferreri/COACH on 09/12/01 01:12 PM -----

Widespread but only partial news coverage was given recently to a remarkable editorial broadcast from Toronto by Gordon Sinclair, a Canadian television commentator. What follows is the full text of his trenchant remarks as printed in the Congressional Record:

"This Canadian thinks it is time to speak up for the Americans as the most generous and possibly the least appreciated people on all the earth.

Germany, Japan and, to a lesser extent, Britain and Italy were lifted out of the debris of war by the Americans who poured in billions of dollars and forgave other billions in debts. None of these countries is today paying even the interest on its remaining debts to the United States.

When France was in danger of collapsing in 1956, it was the Americans who propped it up, and their reward was to be insulted and swindled on the streets of Paris. I was there. I saw it.

When earthquakes hit distant cities, it is the United States that hurries in to help. This spring, 59 American communities were flattened by Tornadoes. Nobody helped.

The Marshall Plan and the Truman Policy pumped billions of dollars into discouraged countries. Now newspapers in those countries are writing about the decadent, war-mongering Americans.

I'd like to see just one of those countries that is gloating over the erosion of the United States dollar build its own airplane. Does any other country in the world have a plane to equal the Boeing Jumbo Jet, the Lockheed Tri-Star, or the Douglas DC10? If so, why don't they fly them? Why do all the International lines except Russia fly American Planes?

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Why does no other land on earth even consider putting a man or woman on the moon? You talk about Japanese technocracy, and you get radios. You talk about German technocracy, and you get automobiles. You talk about American technocracy, and you find men on the moon - not once, but several times - and safely home again.

You talk about scandals, and the Americans put theirs right in the store window for everybody to look at. Even their draft-dodgers are not pursued and hounded. They are here on our streets, and most of them, unless they are breaking Canadian laws, are getting American dollars from ma and pa at home to spend here.

When the railways of France, Germany and India were breaking down through age, it was the Americans who rebuilt them. When the Pennsylvania Railroad and the New York Central went broke, nobody loaned them an old caboose. Both are still broke.

I can name you 5000 times when the Americans raced to the help of other people in trouble. Can you name me even one time when someone else raced to the Americans in trouble? I don't think there was outside help even during the San Francisco earthquake.

Our neighbors have faced it alone, and I'm one Canadian who is damned tired of hearing them get kicked around. They will come out of this thing with their flag high. And when they do, they are entitled to thumb their nose at the lands that are gloating over their present troubles. I hope Canada is not one of those."

Stand proud, America!"

This is one of the best editorials that I have ever read regarding the United States. It is nice that one man realizes it. I only wish that the rest of the world would realize it. We are always blamed for everything, and never even get a thank you for the things we do. I would hope that each of you would send this to as many people as you can and emphasize that they should send it to as many of their friends until this letter is sent to every person on the web.

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Thursday afternoon

Carl/Ginger/Beth:

Thank you all for your emails of yesterday.

It felt good to be at Harcourt today. The presence and emotional support of old friends makes a big difference when one has to try to assimilate, understand, and survive, without permanent damage, a tragedy such as the one we're all going through at the moment.

John Donne's "Meditation XVII" was on my mind when I woke up this morning. It's still there.

"No man is an island, entire of it self; every man is a piece of the Continent, a part of the main; if a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the less, as well as if a promontory were, as well as if a manor of thy friends or thine own were; any man's death diminishes me, because I am involved in Mankind; And therefore never send to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for thee."

Also on my mind for the past two days has been Johannes Brahms' "A German Requiem"—to which I always turn at such times in order to try to comprehend what's going on around me and to make some of the question marks go away.

Thanks again.

Robert

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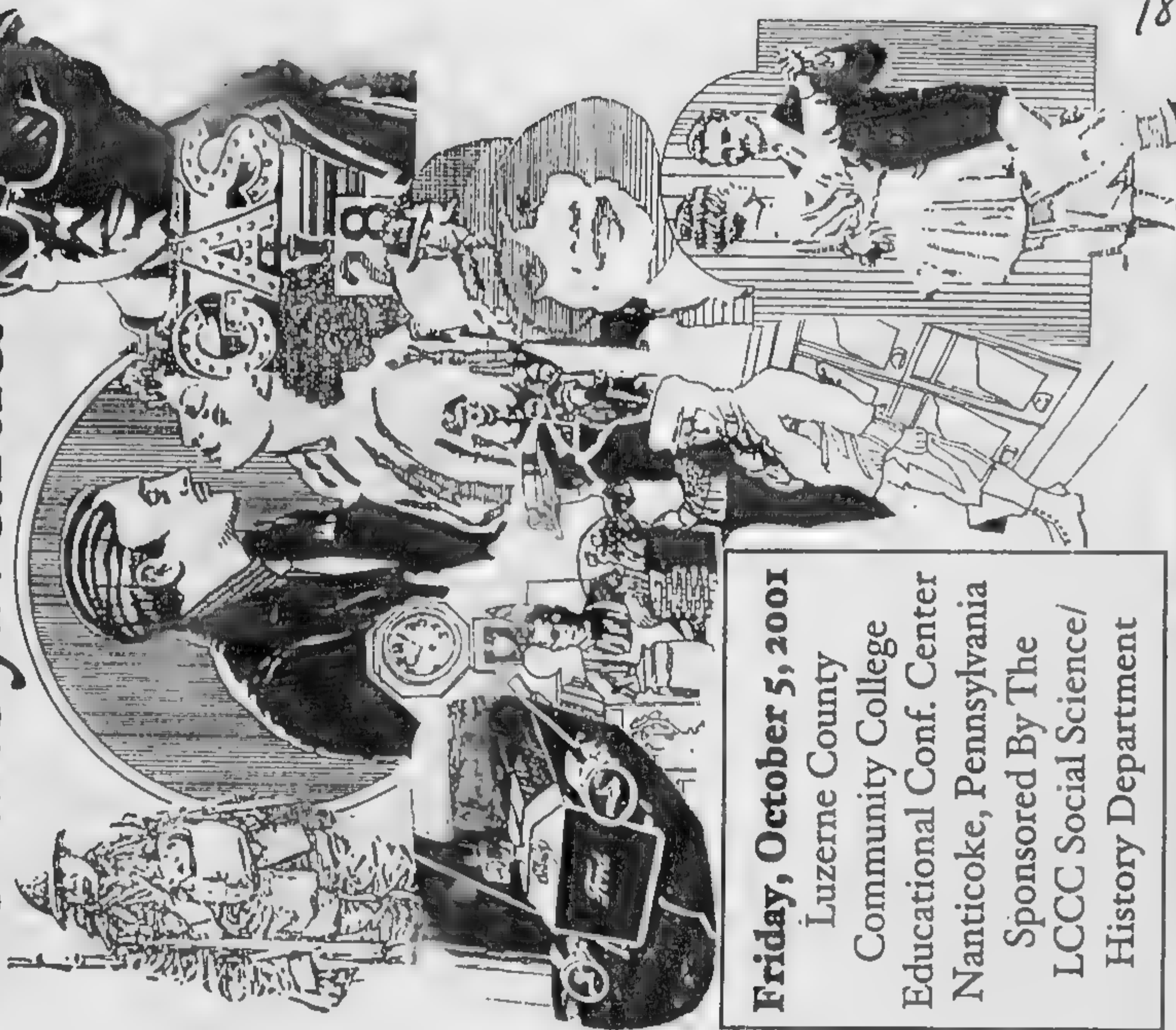
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Morning Session - 9 a.m. to 12 noon

*Introduction* ..... Professor Robert Janosov  
LCCC Social Science/History Department

*Welcome* ..... Dr. Andreas Paloumpis  
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**The Sweet Harp of My Land Survives:  
The Welsh Heritage in Northeastern PA**

Fiona Siobhan Powell  
Professional Storyteller, Bloomsburg

**With the Bunch at Lake Carey**  
Walter Broughton, Associate Professor  
Marywood University

**Miner's Son, Miner's Photographer:  
The Life and Work of George Harvan**  
Thomas Dublin, Professor  
State University of New York at Binghamton

Lunch Break - Noon to 1 p.m.  
A cold luncheon buffet will be available in the Educational  
Conference Center Dining Room for \$6.95.  
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Please call 570-740-0512 by Friday, September 28, 2001

Afternoon Session - 1 to 3 p.m.

**An Overview of Postcard History  
For the Wyoming Valley  
During the 20th Century**

F. Charles Petrillo, Esq.  
Head of the Legal Services Agency  
and  
Charles Kumpas, Computer Analyst



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# WAYMART AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

PO Box 255---Waymart, PA 18472

Late Summer 2001 Newsletter

**150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary "Day of Heritage" Celebration** The 150<sup>th</sup> celebration on June 9, 2001, was a huge success! Waymartians, young and old, turned out to enjoy a beautiful day with events occurring from 11 am to 11 pm. The Society was represented in the "Pride and Patriotism Parade" by three entries: a float done by Sandy Boguski and Pat Mulcare depicting the waiting room of the D&H Depot, featuring the antique 'pot belly stove' restored by Gary Edwards; the octagon 1830 jug school house replica pulled by Jane's 1963 Dodge Dart convertible; and a walking unit composed of Kurt Reed, Michele Swatchick and Heather Ofner Hess in period costumes. The ladies pushed antique baby carriages with their children April and Tim Jr. Costumes and carriages courtesy Kurt Reed's collection. -----"Day of Heritage" displays and exhibits were offered from 1 to 6 pm at the following locations: D&H Gravity Depot; Grimm's Old Factory building with our Flea Market; Masonic Hall; Ambulance Corps building; American Legion Hall; D&H Steam Railroad Station and the Waymart churches.-----We say *Thank You* to these exhibitors of various displays highlighting our area's heritage: WAHS exhibits; the Far View Tracks to Trails; the Carbondale Historical Society; Wayne County Historical Society; Waymart Ambulance Corps; American Legion Post #889; Order of the Eastern Star, Laurel Chapter #67; Girl Scouts of America; the four Waymart Churches; the wool spinners; Kurt Reed; Fred Birmelin; John Varcoe; Paul and Marge Campbell; historical murals by the Robert D. Wilson Elementary Gifted class, EvAnn Racht instructor.-----We wish to recognize those who volunteered, both members and non-members, who gave of their time and talents to make our "Day of Heritage" a success. Members: Cris Amptman; Fred Birmelin; Len & Sandy Boguski; Helen Bridges; Eston & Doris Brooks; Rod Brown; Paul & Marge Campbell; Susan Cartwright; Alberta Correll; Gary Edwards; Mary Farley; Dale Fenwick; Janet Gaardsmoe; Helen Gibney; Dotty & Rob Grimm; Gus Hahn; Gail Henshaw; Jim Hill; Barbara & Gwen Holmes; Peg Kohut; Benjie LaBar; Marion Lehutsky; Kay Lucas; Helen Martzen; Kathy Millard; John & Pat Mulcare; Donna & Lorene Odell; Ken & Marie Parker; Robert Powell; Ruth Pranzitelli; Kurt Reed; Michele Swatchick; Georgia Thorpe; John & Jane Varcoe; James VanArtsdalen; Paul & Marian Vansant; John & Donna Vinton; George & Betty Waters; the Waymart Building Center-Chuck Grimm -----Non-member volunteers: James Roberts, VCR equipment; Randy Enslin, electrical power to Depot; Joe Waters, video taping of celebration; the Wool Spinners, Judy Fairchild & Fran Potter; Girl Scout Cadet Troop #462-Becky Greenwood & Stephanie Chapman; Waymart Methodist Church-Kathy Little; Wayne County Historical Society, Sally Talaga; Heather Ofner Hess, parade unit; RDW gifted class members, Tanner Vinton, Jacob Curtis, & Greta Tralongo; Billy Fenwick, hauling equipment; Masonic Lodge, materials for Depot steps; RDW school, tables; Waymart Baptist Church, tables & chairs; SCI Waymart for printing program and Waymart map.

**Lasting Mementos of our 150<sup>th</sup> Year** A special tribute to the 50 professional and business persons whom supported the development of the 2001 Waymart Borough Map. "*Thank You*" to the SCI-Waymart Community Outreach Program, Superintendent Ray Collieran and the men of the Printing School, Joe Fadden Instructor, for their invaluable help for this community project. ----Joe Waters for the video of the "Day of Heritage" activities.----Joey Parker for the disk of pictures of our April 8 Incorporation observance celebration.

**Commemorative Mementos of our 150<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration** Our metal ornament of the borough clock dedication showing the date, month & year of our incorporation is available in limited quantities at \$5.00 each. Our glass sun catcher in cobalt or light blue for our symposium can be ordered for \$5.00. Our special gray with maroon letters T-shirt for adults at \$10.00 and our youth T-shirts in white with maroon letters at \$8.00. When ordering please add \$1.00 for shipping and mailing. Great gifts for the holidays, birthdays and other events! Remember we are the only community named Waymart in the world, so proudly wear and display our name!!!!



**Carbondale's Parade Celebrating their 150<sup>th</sup> Incorporation** On August 11, 2001, our Society was pleased that the newly formed Company M of the 17<sup>th</sup> Cavalry Regiment reenactors proudly carried our WAHS banner on their float in the parade. The float depicted an encampment with a genuine tent of the Civil War, campfire, and soldiers preparing for battle. This newly formed regiment represents a Wayne County Civil War Company of excellent horsemen from Waymart, South Canaan, Lake Ariel and other parts of the county. Officers in the original company included Captain Warren Rix and Lt. Mathias Keen. This mounted and walking company plans to be available for educational and parade uses. If you would like information or wish to join this company, both men and women, contact Al Ricci at (570) 937-4028. Web site:

[www.geocities.com/beschmitt\\_1935/17thPaCavalry.html](http://www.geocities.com/beschmitt_1935/17thPaCavalry.html) *Thank you for representing WAHS!*

**D&H Symposium II** Enclosed is the brochure and registration form. We have planned a program featuring speakers and authors who are renowned for their expertise on the Delaware and Hudson Company. The dates are November 16, 17 & 18, 2001. Symposium I in 1998 had 167 registrants and our goal is 200. You will be welcomed for part or the whole symposium. We need volunteers for registration, set up and take down plus stuffing the tote bags.

**Delaware and Hudson Open Air Car 43-Rod Brown-Project Manager** We are disappointed that the car restoration has progressed so slowly but we are pleased to report that fabrication of the undercarriage of Car 43 will be started in early Fall. Car 43 has been selected as the logo for Symposium II. We have commissioned a shelf sitter representing to scale this open-air car with appropriate colors of the D&H Company. This will be a numbered limited edition of just 200 and the first in a planned set of Gravity cars. In the next newsletter we will tell you how you can order one of these unique cars which will be offered first to WAHS members.

**Far View Tracks to Trail-Mary Farley, Chairman** The mitigation on the federal prison impact is completing, we will definitely have a trail but exactly where it will be placed on the federal property has not yet been revealed. —*Thank you* for support on our last drawing which was designated to this committee, \$1,100.00 was raised.

**Kurt Reed-Archivist** has been studying maps provided to him on the D&H Steam Railroad. These maps reveal who owned the property, where the rail bed was located and exactly where the Steam line used the gravity beds and where the great bend around Farview started and finished.—Cindy Wilcox and Don Nar recently bought 120 Center Street, in the attic maps of the D&H were found which have written on them property changes up to the 1940's. This gives the Society a wealth of information on the D&H. *Thank You* Cindy & Don for the donation.

**1830 Jug School House Replica** Kurt reported at the last meeting how the Jug School replica, which was built 25 years ago by the Citizens to Preserve our Local Heritage, was destroyed in an accident on its way back from the Lake Ariel Firemen's parade. The trailer was not hooked correctly and it slid off the hitch when turning a corner. The good news is, the Schoolhouse will be built again, using the insurance money, under the direction of Kurt and Fred Birmelin and the Society trailer, on which the replica was mounted, was not damaged.

**T-21 2002 Transportation Enhancement Grant** The third and final round of the T-21 grants is set to be submitted by October 26, 2001. We tried the best we could the previous two times against a myriad of other Societies. We ask you to do anything you can to help us to get this critical funding. Pray, chant, do a dance, howl at the moon, call a friend *or even an enemy*, camp out at our legislators offices, lead a demonstration. Do what you can to help us receive the T-21 grant.—We can all be proud that our Depot is now on a foundation, the floors are stabilized and all is ready for the completion of its rehabilitation. You did this with your support! Now help us with this funding challenge!! Talk, write, E-mail and tell the story of the last remaining Delaware and Hudson Depot, its place in American history and its planned use in our future.

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THE NEXT MEETING OF THE WAYMART AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
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09-12-01 - Sorrow, disbelief, sorrow

09-13-01 - Grief, tears

09-14-01 - Grief

09-15-01 - How will this ever be resolved without nuclear war?

09-16-01 - Picking up the pieces; resurrection; starting over.

Remembering the dead - which prompted me to go over to Elkdale and mow the Cemetery this afternoon. Honor the dead.

There's nothing that I can do in New York or Washington to help so I will do what I can in my corner of the world. Salute the dead. Strange response on my part, perhaps, but I felt good doing what I did this afternoon. Life goes on, alas.

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# 2000 GRISWOLD REUNION

Saturday, August 19, 2000

This year's GRISWOLD REUNION will take place on Saturday, August 19, 2000, at the Homestead Golf Course, on Route 106 (between Carbondale and Clifford).

The Reunion will begin at 11:30 A.M., with a registration period. At noon, a covered-dish dinner will be served. Everyone is to bring a covered dish as well as his own table service. If you would like to bring friends with you (even though they are not Griswolds), please feel free to do so.

Following the covered-dish meal, the 2000 Griswold Reunion business meeting will take place.

The second annual GRISWOLD GOLF TOURNAMENT will take place at this year's reunion at the Homestead Golf Course. For information about the golf course and the tournament and about this year's Griswold Reunion, telephone Donald W. Powell (570-282-5197).

We look forward to seeing you.

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# 2000 GRISWOLD REUNION

## INFORMATION SHEET

Mail this Information Sheet to the Corresponding Secretary/Historian of the Griswold Reunion (S. Robert Powell, R. D. 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706) or bring it with you to the Reunion on August 19, 2000, at the Homestead Golf Course, R. D. 1, Carbondale, PA.

1. The following births, deaths, and marriages took place in my family during 1999-2000:

2. The following graduations, promotions, and significant achievements took place in my family during 1999-2000, and I would like them to be recorded in the official minutes of the Griswold Reunion:

3. Please make the following additions and/or corrections to the mailing list of the Griswold Reunion:

## Second Annual Griswold Open

August 19, 2000

The Homestead Golf Course, site of today's Second Annual *Griswold Open*, is located on Route 106, three miles west of Carbondale. It was designed and constructed by Walter Silas Powell (01-12-1913-04-20-1994) and Russell Thomas Powell (07-22-1946-01-02-1985), son of Walter and Helen (Russell) Powell.

The Homestead Golf Course is situated on the James and Margaret (Gillespie) Russell homestead, which was established in 1841 and which has been in the family ever since. In the late 1980s, through the efforts of S. Robert Powell, son of Walter and Helen Powell, the Russell Homestead was officially recognized by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a Century Farm.

The Homestead Golf Course opened on May 20, 1962. It was operated by Walter and Helen Powell and Russell Powell until 1987, when it was closed. For the period 1962-1972, there were 9 holes; 1973-1974, 14 holes; 1975 on, 18 holes.

On April 27, 1998, Donald W. Powell, son of Walter and Helen Powell, and Donald's son, Donald, reopened the Homestead Golf Course. They continue to operate the course.

The inaugural *Griswold Open* took place at the Homestead Golf Course on August 10, 1999. The winner of the inaugural *Griswold Open* was Donald W. Powell II.

It is fitting that the annual *Griswold Open* should take place on a golf course with direct Griswold connections.



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## Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion

Dr. Merton Griswold

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion took place this year on Saturday, August 19, 2000, in Carbondale, PA. The reunion began at noon with a covered-dish dinner, followed by the Annual Griswold Reunion Golf Tournament. The day concluded with the collection of photographs.



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The Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion took place this year on Saturday, August 19, 2000, at the Homestead Golf Course, R. D. 1, Carbondale, PA. The reunion began at noon with a covered-dish dinner, followed by the annual business meeting. The Second Annual Griswold Reunion Golf Tournament took place in conjunction with the reunion on August 19. Thanks to Janet and Dennis Mann for the collection of photographs.

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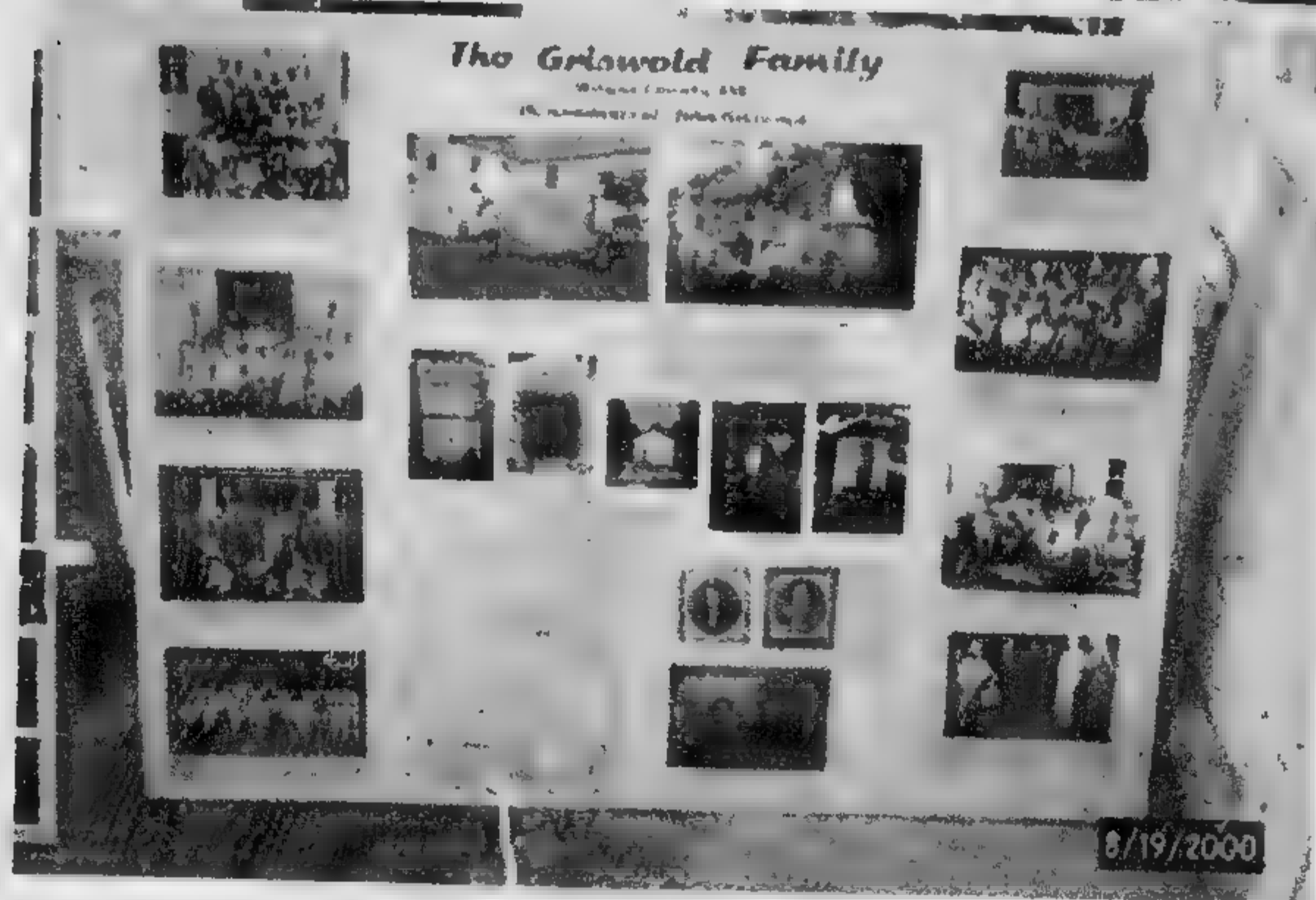


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Hello Robert and thanks for your comments. Yes, please email me some comments and I'll use them to finish the pages. I need to go in and re-size the photos (you are right, they are not loading properly). The link to Dr Merton Griswold is for his obituary - he is a past member of our board. I wanted everyone to find it easily. -Barbara

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September 26, 2000

Dear Janet and Barbara:

The Griswold website looks great! All the new high-tech changes are very compelling.

And all those photos of the Pennsylvania tribe! Very nice.

I can get together captions for all the photos if you like. I'll send them to both of you and you can edit them as necessary.

Maybe it's just my computer set-up (in the local library), but I can't view both columns of photos at the same time. Also, the name "Dr. Merton Griswold" appears in the margin to the left of the photos. I'm not sure why his name is there.

Thank you, both, for doing all that you do, year round, for all the Griswolds from coast to coast and around the world.

Robert Powell

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Hi Robert: We've have now been home for several weeks, and have caught up on adding information to our database. But first, do you have additional information or changes that should be made.

Also, I should tell you that our files are in two parts. We have a Griswold file that starts with the grandparents of Louisa; then we have a Curtis file. That one we can print beginning at any point, and you would probably want it from Henry Banning on. The problem is that these files are now merged. We have considered that, but it could get very unweildy and we are uncertain what our computer would do ... most likely have a hiccup or two.

So, we are easily able to give you the descendant reports, but separately, and can also provide descendant lists with relationships , but here again separately. Let us know just what you'd like. Send us your changes in any case.

We did enjoy the Reunion in August. Your old homestead is beautiful, and it's easy to see how much work both of you have done on it.

Regards, Gordon and Louise

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Hello to all,

The GFA website has been updated with all the reunion news and other changes and announcements. Send me any additions, corrections or changes! The bulletin was mailed on Tuesday, Nov.21. I'll be working on the next edition for late January publication.  
<http://www.griswoldfamily.org>

Happy Thanksgiving!  
Barbara



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Amy Resmiller from the Dayton Feather Fanciers phoned me tonight at about 8:30 PM and asked if I was available to judge their show April 27-28, 2002 (\$150 + 2 nights motel). I said I was. The OFF will meet "this Sunday" (9/23/01) and vote on judges. She will let me know their decision by e-mail.

In mid-summer 2001, I sent a packet of 25 APA membership recruitment flyers to Rich Harman, Arcanum, OH — of the Dayton Feather Fanciers. That may be the reason for the call. In any event, I am very pleased to be considered and will gladly judge their show if asked to do so.

It would be very to judge

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there and possibly break into the midwest poultry judging circuit. There are many shows in the mid-west that I would like to be asked to judge. This may be the entrée I need —  
If this <sup>possible</sup> assignment becomes a reality — fine; if not, that's fine too.

A couple of days ago, to my complete surprise, a Buff orpington pullet and 4 orpington chicks appeared out of the blue in the poultry yard. I searched in vain and found not her nest site.  
What a pleasant surprise.

## Board of Directors Meeting Carbondale Public Library

September 18, 2001

The September 2001 meeting of the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Public Library took place on the 18th in the Board room on the second floor of the Library building. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by President Martin Langan. The following Board members were present: Langan Calabro, Miley, Race, Mattise, McNabb, Matylewicz, and Powell. Library Director, Anne Muldoon, was also present.

President Langan called for a moment of silent prayer in memory of the victims of the terrorist attacks on the United States on September 11, 2001.

There will be a vigil in Memorial Park this Thursday, beginning at 7:30 P.M., sponsored by the Mayor's office, in memory of the victims of these terrorist attacks on America.

Kathryn Race announced that the Friends trip to New York scheduled for October 13 has been cancelled.

Robert Powell read the minutes of the August 2001 meeting of the Board. It was regularly moved (Miley) and seconded (McNabb) that the minutes be approved as read. The motion carried.

Pat Calabro presented the Treasurer's report for August. It was regularly moved (Father Matylewicz) and seconded (Race) that the Treasurer's report be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

### CORRESPONDENCE

On September 13, 2001 the Library signed a "release of settlement and claim" in the amount of \$1,925.00 from PG&W for the damage incurred to the south wall of the Library building during PG&W work in the area between the Library and City Hall.



Kathryn Race will send a thank you to Mark Campbell in the Governor's office for all that he did on behalf of the Library's successful request for \$250,000 from the Governor's office.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

Finance: The Library's mortgage balance is \$95,000, payable at \$6,592.76 in monthly payments. The Library has \$47,512 in bank accounts. President Langan reported that he spoke today with Tim at the Weinberg Foundation about the Library's request for funds to help pay off the Library's mortgage. (The Weinberg Foundation gave \$100,000 to the Abington Library; \$200,000 to the Interboro Library.) Marty reported that he has called the Weinberg Foundation for or five times regarding this request. Marty also reported that Gentex and PP&L have not come forth with additional support funds for the Library.

Motion by President Langan, with a second from Corrine McNabb: "Let's give it 20 more days. If we don't hear something from the Weinberg Foundation by October 8, we should probably refinance the mortgage." The motion carried.

Nick Mattise: "I think we should discuss options. Bill Farber will give us \$5,000. The other banks will follow suit."

Marty Langan: "Let's see what happens with the Weinberg Foundation. Then maybe we'll go after this more \$1,000 donors."

Father Steve: "Maybe we should try to hit up the County again?" [The CPL has already received \$350,000 from Lackawanna County.]

Marty Langan: "I'll talk to Sally Felix about it."

Dinner Theatre: Scheduled for November 2-3. Carl Canedy, the director, has been working on this. The scripts have been ordered. Caterers? Publicity? Ad book? Donations for baskets? "We'll need two sets of gifts." Who will cater the event, Pat Durkin or Bob McDonnell? Tickets to the event will be \$25 a person. On October 9, at 6 P.M., there will be a meeting of the dinner committee."

## NEW BUSINESS

Marty Langan: "Paul Kaczmarcik from Carbondale Area High School has requested that the Library participate in an effort to help raise

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standardized raise test scores at CAHS. I told Dr. Kaczmarcik that we would help if we could."

Ruth Miley: "There is a silent reading program on day 1 of the 6-day school cycle. Everyone will read at that time."

President Langan suggested that something be done to improve the landscaped areas by the Library building. "We should get Jeff O'Hara involved." Robert Powell reported that he recently planted a row of perennials at the Main Street edge of the landscaped area in front of the Library building.

Anne Muldoon reported that there are three new computers in the Library building through a grant initiated by Carbondale Area High School. As part of the grant, a T-1 line will be installed by Verizon; George Wallis will install the regular wiring.

With no additional business to consider, it was regularly moved (Father Steve) and seconded (Miley) that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Robert Powell  
Recording Secretary

# Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion Newsletter

Volume I, Number 10, September 28, 2001  
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## Minutes of the 2001 Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion

The 95th annual reunion of the descendants of John and Elizabeth (Crittenden) Griswold took place on Saturday, August 18, 2001, at the Homestead Golf Course, Carbondale, PA. The hosts for the reunion were the twin sons of Walter and Helen (Russell) Powell, Donald W. and S. Robert Powell.

The day's activities were centered on the front porch and in the front yard of the James and Margaret (Gillespie) Russell homestead. Griswold Family Association (GFA) president emeritus, Janet Mann, took many photographs of the event and the setting and 16 of those photographs, all of which convey beautifully the setting and the spirit of the occasion, now appear on the webpage of the Griswold Family Association, thanks to Barbara Ryan (GFA website and *Bulletin* editor). The GFA's webaddress is [www.griswoldfamily.org](http://www.griswoldfamily.org)

If family members have stories or reports or news that they think might be good for the *Griswold Family Bulletin*, they are encouraged to contact (1) Barbara Ryan at 228 Wildflower Lane, Wethersfield, CT 08844 [BMNJRyan@aol.com](mailto:BMNJRyan@aol.com) or (2) Janet Mann at [Janetmnj@email.com](mailto:Janetmnj@email.com)

Forty-six members of the family attended this year's reunion: Janet Mann, Dennis Mann, Eddie Mann, Gordon Hawley, Louise Hawley, Jackie Pieszala, John Pieszala, Sam Curtis, Joan Curtis, Jill Linko, Greg Linko, Amy Grace, Ray Grace, Lyndsay Grace, Bethany Grace, Zachariah Grace, William Schermerhorn, Mary Schermerhorn, Eleanor Rude, Amy Rude, John Rude, Dorothy Ogden, William Ogden, Jim Kille, Shirley Kille, Megan Kille, Alex Kille, Sam Kille, Diane Kille, Andy Chopak, Mary Chopak, Marie Savokinas, Ray Savokinas, Gertrude Schaffer, Carol Warner, Clark Warner, Patricia Peltz, Mary Zollbrecht, Jane McNulty, Gloria Johnston, Mark Johnston, Candice Kille, Wendy Kille, Doris Howell, Donald W. Powell, and S. Robert Powell.

At noon, a bountiful covered-dish luncheon was served. Reunion president, John Rude, offered a prayer of thanks at the beginning of the luncheon. Just as with church suppers, so, too, reunion meals are invariably delicious. Such an array of mouth-watering food! Most of us, I think, probably overate.



John Cook was the only family member who participated in the Third Annual Griswold Open golf tournament, even though there are, I'm sure, more than a few family members who are golfers. Must be that on Reunion day there's too much going on (visiting, renewing acquaintances, eating) to have a successful family-related golf tournament. The idea of an annual Griswold Open on Reunion day will probably have to be re-thought.

The annual business meeting of the family took place right after the luncheon. President John Rude called the meeting to order and asked the Secretary, S. Robert Powell, for a reading of the minutes of the August 19, 2000 reunion. Robert gave an oral summary of the events of the 2000 reunion and said that a more detailed report would be printed in the *Griswold Reunion Newsletter* that is published after this year's reunion.

John Rude then asked for a report from the treasurer, Donald W. Powell. This is that report:

### 2000 Treasurer's Report

Balance in account before 2000 Reunion: \$449.72.

Received in the mail from family members before 2000 Reunion: \$34 (from Gordon and Louise Hawley, Patricia Lawrence, Germaine and Tim Endres, Robert and LaVerne Kuhn, Douglas and Helen Blair, Norman and Margaret Kern, Ralph and Marie Curtis, Charles and Marjorie Wildenberg, Ray and Marie Savokinas, Andrew and Mary Chopak, Darwin and Eleanor Brudos, Patricia Peltz, Beatrice and Martin McGurrian, Ray and Eileen Weick, Marjorie Schofield, Janet and Dennis Mann, Minna Blair, and William and Dorothy Ogden).

Collection taken at 2000 Reunion: \$150.00

Expenses incurred by S. Robert Powell before 2000 Reunion: printing and mailing of reunion announcements and questionnaires, \$100.34; membership in GFA, \$15. Total SRP to be reimbursed: \$115.34.

Balance in account on 11-18-2000: \$807.77

### Preliminary 2001 Treasurer's Report

Received in the mail from family members before 2001 reunion: \$215 (from Dorothy Curtis Hornbeck (in memory of Dot Olver), Robert and LaVerne Kuhn, Marie and Raymond Savokinas, John L. and Mary L. Cook, Gordon and Louise Hawley, Andrew and Mary Chopak, Claude and Geneva Manaton, Janet and Dennis Mann, Michael and Mary Flanagan, Douglas and Helen Blair, Germaine and Tim Endres, John and Jacqueline Pieszala, Pat Peltz, Stephen and Marjorie Gravalec, and Ray and Eileen Weick.

The hat (SRP's silk top hat) was then passed and an additional \$94.00 was added to the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion treasury.

Expenses incurred by the secretary before 2001 reunion: \$113.36 (envelopes, printing of flyers, labels, postage, miscellaneous). Expenses incurred by secretary after 2001 reunion: \$32.50 (James Archbald thank-you cards, postage). [Cost of printing and mailing this *Newsletter* not yet known and will be deducted from account when known and reported at 2002 reunion.]

Balance in account on 09-04-01: \$1,015.53.

Financial note: At the 2001 NEPA Griswold Reunion, Janet Mann mentioned that the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion can be reimbursed by the GFA for expenses incurred in connection with the 2002 annual meeting of the GFA at the Bryn Mawr Camp.

Gordon and Louise Hawley were then asked to report on the recent Stanton family reunion that they had hosted. The event, they reported, was a huge success, with 160 Stantons present. The event was covered by local television, in addition. Robert Powell mentioned that he had recently run into Richard W. Stanton, Founder and President of CHOICES (Specialists in serving the needs of seniors, 4 Ward Circle, Brunswick, ME 04011-9338 stantonr@suscom-maine.net) in the Carbondale Public Library. At that time Richard Stanton reported that he had attended earlier this summer the Stanton reunion that was hosted by Gordon and Louise Hawley. Robert told Richard at that time that he had a newspaper clipping with the minutes of the 1915 Stanton Reunion that was held in Wayne County and that he would get it to him after he showed it to the Hawleys. At the Griswold Reunion on August 18, Robert showed the clipping to the Hawleys who said that they would be glad to forward the copy to Richard Stanton in Maine.

Janet Mann spoke about the upcoming GFA Heritage Tour V to England on July 16-26, 2002, and said that it would surely be a memorable trip for all Griswolds. For additional information and to make reservations, contact Dr. Sara L. French, 200 Vincent Street, Syracuse, NY 13201 315-428-9850 sara\_french@yahoo.com

Janet also encouraged all Griswolds to attend the annual meeting in Wethersfield, CT on October 5-6, 2001.

Robert Powell reported that he had had a nice letter from Minna Blair on August 17, 2001, in which she writes, in part, ". . . As you probably know, we lost a dear member recently, my sister-in-law, Dorothy Olver, passed away. I still have happy memories of visiting with her last year at the Reunion. I hope we [Judy and I] can attend next year. Best wishes, Minna Blair."

Robert also reported that he received a nice letter, full of news, from Gertrude Schaffer on March 24, 2001. Gertrude crocheted hats all winter. She made 45 and gave away 24. "When the wind blows in your face, pull the turn up down and if it blows to you back, do the same. As for the design, I don't know anybody who makes hats with the ripple pattern, so if you see one it's probably a brother or sister of yours," says Gertrude.

Enclosed with Gertrude's letter of March 24th was a recipe for *Irish Potato Chowder*. Here is that recipe: 1 large onion chopped, 2 cups chopped celery, 2 tablespoons butter, 7-8 cups of chicken broth, 8-9 cups of new potatoes diced, 1 cup of milk, flour to thicken, 6 diced hard boiled eggs, parsley. In a Dutch oven, saute onion and celery in butter until soft. Add chicken broth and potatoes. Simmer until potatoes are cooked. Stir in milk and thicken with flour (I used cream of chicken condensed soup). Add hard cooked eggs. Before serving, sprinkle with fresh parsley to create an Irish look.

A year ago, on May 10, 2000, Robert reported, Gertrude Schaffer sent him a beautiful blue and white crocheted doily that she made. "Keep busy," says Gertrude, "it regenerates the soul."



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The Secretary then called for all additions/correction to the mailing list and to the master list of the descendants of John and Elizabeth (Crittenden) Griswold. Robert then thanked (1) the following persons for "genealogical updates" received for this year's reunion: Dorothy Hornbeck, Claude Manaton, Ronald Miller, Germaine and Tim Endres, Pieszala family, Eleanor Rude family, Gordon and Louise Hawley, Sam and Joan Curtis, Kille family, Barbara Robbins, Stephen and Marjorie Gravalec, Ray and Eileen Weick, Audrey Steinso, Paul and Esther Kutch, Carol and Clark Warner, and Mary Zollbrecht and (2) all those persons who helped to correct and update the mailing list.

Gertrude Schaffer presented the reunion with a print of a color photograph that was taken in August 2000 to the Schaffer family: Gertrude Loomis Schaffer (1921), Gertrude Louise Lonzinski (1943), Henry David Schaffer (1945), Carol Virginia Warner (1949), Audrey Ruth Steinso (1952), Paul Merwin Schaffer (1955), James Mark Schaffer (1959), and Linda Jane Canfield (1964).

Robert Powell reported that he had had a pleasant visit with John Cook on April 27, 2001 (when John was playing golf at the Homestead Golf Course) and that John had lent him a copy of William Harris Bragg's book titled *Griswoldville* [GA] (89 pp., published by Mercer University Press, Macon, GA, 2000). Robert also reported that there is a very interesting article by GFA president emeritus, Janet Michie Mann, titled "Samuel Griswold of Griswoldville, Georgia," on pages 11-13 of *The Griswold Family Bulletin* (Winter, 2001, Number 124).

Mary Zollbrecht presented the Secretary with a copy of a Western Finger Lakes 2001-2002 overview map produced by resortmaps.com. One of the advertisers listed on the border of the map is "Loomis Country Shops, Rushville, NY." Mary: "Maybe this Loomis family is related to you?" Robert: "Thank you. I'm not sure, but I'll see what I can find out." On September 7, Mary sent the Secretary an interesting clipping from the *Press and Sun Bulletin* (09-03-01) titled "Library selling rare books" The books in question are the Moore Memorial Library's collection of Edward Curtis books on North American Indians (only 227 sets of these books were ever published). The collection was donated to the Moore Memorial Library, Greene, NY, in 1908 by library founder William Moore. The collection will be sold at the Swann Galleries in New York on October 2 and is expected to sell for \$500,000 to \$700,000. Is this Edward Curtis related to our Clinton Township Curtis family? In her note with this clipping Mary Zollbrecht noted: "... I had a great time at the reunion so did the rest of my family. Do you remember that Jane's granddaughter was only 10 days old when she came to her first reunion. I mean Candice Kille, it was 12 years ago. She was born on August 9, 1989. Hope to see all next year at the reunion. Candice's mom is Wendy Kille."

The annual "superlatives" were then determined:

Oldest family member present: Bill Ogden, age 81 (born at 3 A.M. on February 29, 1920 at 115 South Church Street, Carbondale)

Youngest family member present: Diane Kille (child of Jim and Shirley)



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Persons who traveled the longest distance to get to the reunion: Gordon and Louise Hawley (1,450 miles from Alabama)

Persons who traveled the shortest distance to get to the reunion: Donald W. and S. Robert Powell

Family with most members present: Olga Stiles family, 19; Eleanor Rude family, 10

Special event: Mary Chopak and Marie Savokinas, twin daughters of Rita Smith and Simon Gustitus are celebrating their 55th birthday TODAY.

Carol Warner and Gordon Hawley both requested from the secretary a copy of the 2002 list of updated material (when compiled) for the master list of the descendants of John and Elizabeth (Crittenden) Griswold.

### **Getting Ready for the GFA 2002 Reunion**

John Rude reported that the Bryn Mawr is already booked for the occasion. John said that the GFA would probably find it very interesting to take a trip to the underground coal mine at McDade Park. John also said that a screening of the video "Of Pulleys, Ropes, and Gear" (about the D&H Gravity Railroad) would be very interesting for the group to see. Robert Powell said that since we have several family members in the group who are very interested in and actively collect Griswold cast iron (Andrew and Mary Chopak; Sam and Joan Curtis, among others) that it might be of great interest to all to have a display and talk on Griswold cast iron in conjunction with the meeting. There is a lot of enthusiasm already apparent on the part of the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds about the 2002 GFA annual meeting. Stay tuned.

Next year, there will be two Griswold reunions in northeastern Pennsylvania:

The first one will be the 96th annual local reunion, to take place on August 17, 2002. The most important item on the agenda for that meeting will be "final plans and preparations for the GFA annual meeting on October 11-13, 2002 at the Bryn Mawr Camp outside of Honesdale."

The second one will be the annual meeting of the Griswold Family Association, October 11-13, 2002 at the Bryn Mawr Camp, Honesdale.

Put both of those dates on your calendar, NOW.

John Rude, speaking on behalf of the family members present, thanked "the Powell boys (Donald and Robert)" for doing all that they do on behalf of the Griswold family and for again hosting the annual reunion.

With no additional business to conduct, the annual meeting was adjourned, to meet again on August 17, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,  
S. Robert Powell, Secretary

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The 94th annual Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion took place on August 19, 2000 at the Homestead Golf Course, Carbondale, PA. The reunion was hosted by Donald W. and S. Robert Powell. Thirteen beautiful color photographs taken at the Reunion by Janet and Dennis Mann were uploaded to the GFA webpage by Barbara Ryan not long after the reunion. A paper copy of the group photograph that was taken at the 2000 Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion by the Mann family was also published in the Autumn 2000 *Griswold Family Bulletin* (Number 123) on page 3.

The day's activities were centered under a very large red and white striped tent that was erected for the occasion in the front yard of the Russell Homestead. Throughout the day, from the front porch of the Russell Homestead, Black Rose (a folk music trio) performed a wide range of traditional and folk songs.

Forty-nine family members signed the guest book: Janet Mann, Dennis Mann, Eddie Mann, S. Robert Powell, Donald W. Powell, Donald W. Powell II, John R. Rude, Amy M. Rude, Phill Rude, Bea McGurrin, Scott Savokinas, Rachel Savokinas, Wendy Kille, Candi Kille, Mary Chopak, Andy Chopak, Dorothy Ogden, William Ogden, Bea McGurrin, Marie Savokinas, Ray Savokinas, Mark Johnston, Jane McNulty, Chuck McNulty, Dorothy Olver, Marge Schofield, Nicholas Derosa, Judy Blair, Minna Blair, Jennie Darrow, Josh Darrow, Gertrude Schaffer, Clark Warner, Carol Warner, Alex Phillips, Karen L. Zipf, Kimberly Ann Zipf, Arnold R. Zipf, Beverly J. Zipf, Jacob Zaft, Jessica Zaft, Kathryn Forster, Germaine Endres, Tim Endres, Alina Grace Endres, James DeWolfe, Agnes DeWolfe, Don Renner, Mary Lou Renner, and Pat Peltz.

Janet Mann reported on the highly successful Griswold Family Western Heritage Tour to Elko, Nevada, July 20-23. Gordon and Louise Hawley went on the tour, as part of a 7-week trip West. On the way to Nevada, the Hawleys attended the Curtis reunion in Iowa.

Gordon and Louise Hawley set up beautiful display panels on family history on the Russell Homestead front porch: "The Griswold Family Western Heritage Tour," "The Griswold Family, Wayne County, PA Descendants of John Griswold," "The Curtis Family." Gordon and Louise also reported on their trip to England with the GFA to visit many of the major Griswold-related sites and towns there.

A discussion then took place of the possibility of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion's hosting the 2002 annual meeting of the GFA at the Bryn Mawr Camp in Honesdale. Janet Mann reported that many members of the GFA have repeatedly remarked on how successful and enjoyable the GFA annual meeting was in Honesdale in 1996 (October 4-6) and have asked her (Janet) when they might have the pleasure of again returning to northeastern



Pennsylvania for the annual GFA meeting. Many members of the NEPA Griswold Reunion remarked that they would actively help to host the 2002 GFA reunion. It was, therefore, regularly moved (Jane Shaffer) and seconded (Marie Savokinas) that the NEPA Griswold Reunion host the 2002 GFA annual meeting. The motion carried. Given John Rude's leadership role in hosting the 1996 GFA annual meeting, it was suggested, from the floor, that John Rude might be a good person to serve as chairman of the 2002 GFA committee of the NEPA Griswold Reunion. Without too much arm-twisting, John Rude graciously accepted the position.

Janet Mann, president emeritus of the GFA, reported on the many activities of the national Griswold organization and thanked the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds for offering to host the 2002 annual meeting of the Griswold Family Association on October 11-13, 2002 at the Bryn Mawr Camp, Honesdale, PA. Janet suggested that the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds form a committee to take charge of the arrangements for the October 2002 reunion. Accordingly, such a committee was formed, with John Rude as chairman. Janet also had with her many Griswold items that are offered for sale by the GFA and made them available to family members.

The Secretary then called for all additions/correction to the mailing list and to the master list of the descendants of John and Elizabeth (Crittenden) Griswold. Mary Zollbrecht presented the Secretary with a packet of newspaper clippings about possible Griswold - Arnold - Loomis - Curtis people who may be members of the extended Griswold family.

Beverly Jean Gravalec and Karen and Kimberly Zipf, daughter and granddaughters, respectively, of Marjorie (Wright) Gravalec, showed the group a copy of the August 14, 2000 issue of the Newark (NJ) *Star-Ledger*, in which (pp. 25, 26) there is an article titled "We Are Family--Reinventing and Reinvigorating the Good Old Family Reunion" by Lisa Irizarry. Shown in the article are two Griswold photographs: one of a Griswold family reunion in England, and one of a group of Griswold family members with this caption: "First Assembly of Griswolds, from Coast to Coast, September 20, 1930. Photo includes at least 141 members." This same photograph is given on the cover of the Summer 2000 *Griswold Family Bulletin* (Number 122), and the article itself is reprinted in the Spring 2001 *Griswold Family Bulletin* (Number 125), on page 11.

GFA president emeritus, Janet Mann, is quoted at length in this article, which contains a lot of Griswold information and is great publicity for the GFA and the Griswold family.

Here is the part of the article that relates to the Griswolds:

". . . Documenting the family heritage is also one of the major elements of the Griswold family reunion. That family joins the Stocktons [also mentioned in the article] in their British roots.

The Griswolds not only have a coat-of-arms, there is a paid genealogist on their family association staff who helps put together historical publications. They have held annual reunions since 1930, interrupted only by a couple of years during World War II. The family now skips a few years between reunions to build anticipation and attendance.



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'The reunion is always the first weekend in October and it's held in places with some tie-in to the Griswold family,' explains Janet Mann of Scotch Plains.

'Troy, N.Y. is the original home of the Griswold iron factories--they made cast iron frying pans and molds,' notes Mann. 'They're no longer manufactured, but you'd find them at flea markets and antique stores.'

'We had another trip, to Connecticut. There's a Fort Griswold there that is believed to have been used during the Revolutionary War--we got to tour on a Coast Guard submarine,' adds Mann.

Mann was the co-chair for one reunion held in New Jersey. She recalls, 'We had everyone take a tour of Morristown. We could prove there had been Griswolds in the Revolutionary forces.'

In other years, the family took tours of England, visiting ancestral homes and the church where their relatives were baptized.

'This summer, we're going out to Nevada,' Mann says. 'The family settled out there in the 1800s and we're going out to see the migration route.'

Mann adds, 'we're (the family organization) trying to be very broad-based. The Internet's giving us so much more outreach. We're scattered all over the country, plus some are in Canada and some in England. We move around a lot so people will come.'

She notes, 'In the past, we've sold needlework kits of the Griswold coat-of-arms at reunions and note cards with the coat-of-arms.' . . ."

As usual, the annual "superlatives" were recorded at the 2000 Reunion:

Oldest person present: Minna Blair, 94 years and 8 months

Youngest person present: Jacob and Jessica Zaft, 7 years old [Editor's note: need to find our birth date for the Zaft twins; contact John and Amy Rude]

Persons who traveled farthest distance to get to Reunion: Don and Mary Lou Renner, Franklin, North Carolina

Persons who traveled shortest distance to get to Reunion: Donald W. Powell, Donald W. Powell II, S. Robert Powell

Family with most members present: Olga Stiles family, 9 members; John Rude family, 6 members

Robert Powell reported that on 09-15-99 the Rev. Gordon H. Curtis (Arizona City, AZ) sent him an announcement of the forthcoming publication of *Genealogy of Henry Curtis, His Descendants in both New York and Pennsylvania*, to be published on January 1, 2000. At that time, Rev. Curtis asked Robert if the Griswold Reunion would like a copy of the forthcoming book for its archives. Robert replied, that very day, and said that the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion would very much like to have a copy when published. To date [September 2001], we have not received from Rev. Curtis a copy of his book.

Bill Ogden, Carbondale, recalled that in 1939 William Anderson Russell (one of the sons of the founders of the Russell Homestead, James and Margaret Russell; William Anderson

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Russell is the maternal grandfather of Donald W. and S. Robert Powell) lost some cows because someone threw paint buckets into one of his pastures.

Robert then showed the group a letter that he received on April 3, 2000 from Marjorie Rude Cook (7 Terrace Gardens, Lakeland, FL 33815-4744). Here are the first two paragraphs of Marjorie's letter, followed by her recollections of Edith Gardner of Carbondale, titled "My Cookie Friend."

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03 April 2000

Dear Robert,

Thank you for your letter re the donation to the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion. I am so glad that you have had such a wonderful interest in that project. You and your brother Donald have done a wonderful service for all the Griswold Folks. Thank you.

Your comments about Edith were so like my feelings about her. I loved her so much. She was always super kind and loving and thoughtful to me. I do miss her. At one of the Seminars I attended the instructor requested (or invited as is sometimes used) us to think about a person who had meant a great deal to us and to think about that person. Then we were to exchange our thoughts with another person. Edith was the person I chose as my "Cookie Friend." At the time I did not write down what I thought of. For a writing class I am now taking, I did write an article about her. It was essentially what I thought about in the seminar. A copy of my "Cameo" is included.

#### MY COOKIE FRIEND

Do you now have a Cookie Friend? Have you ever had a Cookie Friend? Do you know what a Cookie Friend is? Well, a Cookie Friend is a person who is or was especially kind to you when you were a child. It is not a close relative like your parents or grandparents. It is some one who is the type who would make cookies for you to stop and eat on the way home from school. You would be able to tell all your troubles to this special person and know you were still loved. This special person would hold a special place in your heart for all of your life.

Edith Gardner was my special Cookie Friend. Edith never married. She was one of those women who through circumstances beyond her control -- like the Great Depression -- taught school and continued to live with her parents until their death at a very old age. Since Edith loved children but had none of her own, I was sort of her surrogate child. Edith and I had many fun and interesting as well as unique experiences together.

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At one time when I was about ten years old Edith was to meet a friend at the train station in Scranton, Pennsylvania. We traveled from Carbondale to Scranton by car. This car we traveled in was not just any old car. It was a car with an installed heater. What a treat this was. Imagine riding in a car toasty warm on a cold winter evening without being needing to be bundled up in car robes. That was just great. Then when we arrived early at the train station we had time to "people watch". Edith enjoyed "people watching". On this trip we saw something most unusual. Something I had never seen before. We saw a woman who had plucked eye brows. Well, we had a great time talking about this. I never forgot that evening. One of the treasures Edith gave me is the enjoyment one can have just "people watching".

When about eleven years old, Edith asked if I would like to go on a Saturday shopping trip with her to Scranton. What a treat!!! Our family shopped in Carbondale because this was where my father worked. He felt that our family should support the local merchants who paid taxes to support his salary. To go to Scranton to shop, well to me this was really living. When the special Saturday morning arrived Edith picked me up in her car with the heater, and off we went. What was really unique about this Cookie Friend experience was having lunch. Edith decided to eat in the lunch room at the Scranton Dry Goods Store. You could either order from a menu or go through the cafeteria line. Edith thought choosing from the cafeteria line would be fun.

Bless her heart, she told me to pick out anything I wanted to eat. Well, as far as I was concerned, this was probably the closest to heaven I would ever get. Our family never ever ate in a restaurant. And furthermore the children in our family had no choices about what we wanted to eat. We ate what was put before us -- no choices. This was the depression time and we were lucky to have anything to eat. And besides we could not waste any food with all those hungry starving children in foreign countries. In the cafeteria that day were dishes of fresh strawberries. This was January with deep snow outdoors and fresh strawberries to eat just blew my mind. Edith told me I could have them if I wanted to. Naturally, that was part of my lunch. It was a treat I never forgot. Years later Edith and I would talk about the fresh strawberries in January. I hope she realized how special and happy she made a little girl feel.

When about twelve years of age I was interested in baking cookies, cakes, nut bread, and brown bread. Edith was most complimentary about my baking. She was interested in my letting her know when I was going to bake. Then she would tell me what she would especially like to have. This was wonderful for me. It was a joy to realize that someone enjoyed my baking enough to pay real money for it. Edith made me believe that I was talented in the culinary arts. What a Cookie Friend!!

Doing the years of my childhood and adolescence we had many happy times together. Then of course college entered into the picture as well as a career, marriage and children. Gerry and I lived a long distance from our childhood family and friends. Each time we were in the vicinity I always went to see my special "Cookie Friend". We always enjoyed the time together even if the time was very short.

Much later on one of our trips to see Edith she said she had some family items she wanted me to have. She gave me a very old flow blue platter and tea pot which my



great-great-great Grandmother had brought to America from England. I was happy about this and treasure the items. Another time she gave me a silver compote dish which had been a wedding gift to her parents. That is very lovely. Then much later, on one of our visits she gave me a most wonderful material gift. She wanted me to have this special gift because she knew that I as well as our children would take care of it. This was a chair - a Windsor Chair - that was made by John Griswold. John Griswold is my great-great-great Grandfather who fought in the Revolutionary War. John Griswold settled in Pennsylvania in the early 1800's when the northeastern part of that state was a wilderness. The chair is one of my prized possessions.

My Cookie Friend gave me material items, but the most precious gifts Edith gave to me were time and love. She always had time for me, and she always showed me her love for me. This was exceedingly important to me. I learned a great deal from Edith. She was able to allow me to mature and was not threatened by it. She accepted me as a child, when I was a child. And she could also accept me in my crazy adolescent years. She gave me the feeling she was happy for me to become an adult and could accept me in that stage of my life, also.

A Cookie Friend is a priceless gift. I cherished my Cookie Friend and loved her dearly. She had a great influence on my life because she always made me feel I was OK. She loved me no matter what, and was able to convey that assurance to me. It was hard to say "goodbye" to my Cookie Friend. I shall always miss her and always cherish her.

Written by Marjorie Rude Cook 1999-2000

Generous donations (totaling \$320.00) were received from the following family members through the mail before the 2000 Reunion: Gordon and Louise Hawley, Patricia Lawrence, Germaine and Tim Endres, Robert and LaVerne Kuhn, Douglas and Helen Blair, Norman and Margaret Kern, Ralph and Marie Curtis, Charles and Marjorie Wildenberg, Ray and Marie Savokinas, Andrew and Mary Chopak, Darwin and Eleanor Brudos, Patricia Peltz, Beatrice and Martin McGurrin, Ray and Eileen Weick, Marjorie Schofield, Janet and Dennis Mann, Minna Blair, and William and Dorothy Ogden.

The hat was then passed among family members present and an additional \$150.00 was added to the Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion treasury.

Griswold Reunion genealogical information report forms were received at the time of or shortly after the 2000 Griswold Reunion from Norman C. Kern, Marjorie Schofield, Eleanor Rude, Germaine and Tim Endres, Patricia Lawrence, Andrew and Mary Chopak, Eileen Weick, and Gertrude Schaffer. The data reported thereon will be recorded in the master genealogical files of the Griswold Reunion.

John Rude, speaking on behalf of the family members present, thanked "the Powell boys (Donald and Robert)" for doing all that they do on behalf of the Griswold family and for again hosting the annual reunion.

With no other business to conduct, the group adjourned, to meet again, on Saturday, August 18, 2001, at the Homestead Golf Course, Carbondale, PA.

Respectfully submitted,  
S. Robert Powell, Secretary

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## From the Editor:

Well, there you have it. The minutes for 2000 and 2001. Having spent the better part of two days typing up my notes and preparing this *Newsletter*, I have the impression that both events (2000 and 2001 Griswold Reunions) are still going on—just outside, in the front yard and on the front porch.

If there are any corrections or additions to be made to these minutes, just let me know. I have tried to be comprehensive, but I may have inadvertently omitted something.

Take a good close look at the mailing list (pp. 13-15) and make sure that everyone who should be listed there is there. If not, please let me know who's missing or whose address is incorrect. This mailing list was produced by old-fashioned cutting and pasting, so the column lines and spacings are not perfect (by any means). But the list is readable and should prove useful. Why not surprise some Griswold cousin you haven't seen or spoken with in a long time by finding his or her address in the mailing list and sending a card? It will make both you and your long-lost cousin feel good. Give it a try.

As I reported in these minutes for 2000 and 2001, there's lots to see about us, the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds, on the webpage of the Griswold Family Association ([www.griswoldfamily.org](http://www.griswoldfamily.org)). If you have access to the Internet, pay a visit to the GFA webpage. You'll be pleased to see there some very familiar faces.

As I mentioned in the minutes for 2001, if you have stories or reports or news that you believe might be good for the *Griswold Family Bulletin* or the GFA webpage, contact (1) Barbara Ryan at 228 Wildflower Lane, Wethersfield, CT 08844 [BMNJRyan@aol.com](mailto:BMNJRyan@aol.com) or (2) Janet Mann at [Janetmnj@email.com](mailto:Janetmnj@email.com)

If you are not a member of the "national" Griswold association, the Griswold Family Association (GFA), why not become a member? Make a copy of the GFA membership application form that is given in this *Newsletter* on page 16, fill it out, and mail in your dues to Marion Griswold, GFA Treasurer, 29 Hollow Road, Woodbury, CT 06798.

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Reunion mailing list: 184  
names)

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Why not become a member of the "national" Griswold association, the Griswold Family Association? Make a copy of the GFA membership application form that is given below, fill it out, and mail in your dues to Marion Griswold, GFA Treasurer, 29 Hollow Road, Woodbury, CT 06798.

### The Griswold Family Association of America, Inc.

It is now time to renew your Membership in the Association. Annual Memberships are available in the following amounts:

Single Membership .....	15.00
Family (husband, wife and children under 18 years) .....	25.00
Patron .....	50.00
Donor .....	100.00
Benefactor .....	1000.00
Life membership is available for .....	300.00

Membership dues are used to help defray the expenses of genealogical research, the quarterly Bulletin, and the Website, which can be found at: [www.griswoldfamily.org](http://www.griswoldfamily.org)

Please detach this sheet, note the amount of dues you are paying, enclose your check, and mail to: **Marion Griswold, GFA Treasurer**  
**29 Hollow Rd**  
**Woodbury CT 06798**

Kindly notify the Treasurer by April 1 if you do not intend to continue your Membership.  
**Life Members and those who have already paid dues through 2001, please disregard this notice.** Thank you for your continued support of the GFA!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Type of membership: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of payment: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please make check out to: Griswold Family Association)

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_



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Cc: Janetmny@email.com

Subject: Griswolds, of course

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September 21, 2001

Dear Barbara and Janet:

I mailed out this morning 184 copies of Volume I, No. 10 (16 pages) of the "Northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold Reunion Newsletter."

I had some extra copies so I sent a copy to each of the following: Marion Griswold, Jack Hooten, Esther and Robert French, Coralee Griswold, Susan Griswold, Sara French, and Richard Griswold.

The primary content of the "Newsletter": Minutes of the 2000 and 2001 northeastern Pennsylvania Griswold reunions, as well as a copy of the recently-revised mailing list.

On my way home from the post office, having mailed the newsletters, I suddenly realized, Barbara, that I made an error in your mailing address in two instances (once on page 1 and once on page 12). In both instances, I was encouraging the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds to contact you if they had any news or items that might be good for the "Griswold Family Bulletin." And in both instances I gave your city and state as "Wethersfield, CT." The street address and zip code are correct, but the city and state are wrong. Since the zip code and street address are correct, maybe any communications that come your way from the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds will get to you OK. Somehow I managed to give your correct email address.

The vast majority of the northeastern Pennsylvania Griswolds will never even notice the garbled address, but I imagine some of the "national level" Griswolds will see it.

What I've got to figure out now is how "Hillsborough, NJ" became "Wethersfield, CT" as I typed. Extreme fatigue? Diminished mental capacity? Blurred vision. (What I think happened is that I have been thinking about Wethersfield, CT a lot in recent days in preparation for this year's anual GFA meeting.)

Oh well, as I think we all know much too well: You can't win 'em all.

Thanks again, both of you, for doing all that you do, year round, for the Griswolds from coast to coast and around the world.

Robert

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Dear Carbondale  
Business and Professional  
Women, [250]

Thank you very much  
for your donation to  
the Historical Society  
and to the Society's  
continuing efforts  
to commemorate  
the 150th anniversary  
of the incorporation

of "the Pioneer  
City." Your  
thoughtfulness  
and generosity  
are much appreciated.  
Working together,  
we can all create  
a bright future  
for our beloved  
City. Sincerely,  
S. Robert Powell

2001 GFA REUNION RESERVATION FORM

ROBERT Powell.  
RD #1, Box 40

CARBONDALE

PA 18407-9706

NAME:  
ADDRESS:  
PHONE #

SRobertPowell @ Juno.com

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ACTIVITY	#OF PERSONS	FEE	TOTAL
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FRIDAY:

Executive Board  
Meeting

none

SATURDAY:

Day's Activities, including reception, lunch, rental fees, administrative costs  
Closing Reception Michael Griswold House,

1	adults @ \$25.00	\$ 25.00
	under 6 no charge	\$
	6-12 @ \$12.00	\$

TOTAL AMOUNT

\$ 25.00

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES: Admissions to the museums, Crafts  
Fair, Onion Harvest, paid for on your own.

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Please mail reservation form with check made out to Griswold Family Association of America to:

Richard M. Griswold  
116 Garden St.  
Wethersfield, CT. 06109

RESERVATION DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 21, 2001



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1928

DWP II here for the weekend. Very good to have him here. As he & DWP arrived on Friday night, a batch of Mom's Rice Pudding had just finished cooking in my new

enamel double boiler that I bought last Saturday for \$1.00 at the Trinity Church flea market. It worked beautifully and we ate all of the rice pudding and then went to bed. On Saturday morning, after I had completed my barn chores, DWP II and I went into town to the Library for a couple hours (checked my e-mail, wrote a couple letters) & then went to the grocery store and got a couple items that DWP needed for dinner. Came home and I cleaned in the entrance area to the poultry

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Department in the farm. What a difference! It's now open & clean & reasonably well organized. DWP organized a special dinner to commemorate DWP II <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> being here for the weekend: Joe Pascoe & Cousin Peg came out to dinner, which consisted of ditalini & DWP's home made fresh tomato sauce (very good) plus a large quantity of steamed shrimp, red wine, radishes. Very satisfying. Very very rich Chocolate Brownies for dessert. We then watched "Enchanted April" — a very luxurious film about 4 women (one of whom is Joan Plowright) who rent a villa for a month

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1930

Italy: It had a Merchant  
Ivory quality to it. Very  
appealing. I gave PWP  $\pi$  five  
or six sports books that I  
acquired recently at the library.  
He loved them. I wrapped each  
one in extravagant green or  
purple tissue paper.

The evening was very enjoyable  
and memorable.

More cleaning in the barn  
this morning. Dorel fixed  
more shrimp today and I  
made a from-scratch tapioca  
pudding - which turned out  
very well. The recipe is  
Mrs Lena Bronson's on p. 83  
(Cream Tapioca Pudding) from  
the 1924 Carbondale Method



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Church cookbook.

Brake problems in DWP's brown jeep. DWP & Joe (who works for Donald) and DWP II are now on their way to Allentown, where DWP II's mother will meet them. They are traveling in my Chevrolet truck.

This is the first time that anyone besides me has ever driven my Silverado.

They left at 6 PM and DWP/Joe should be back around 10 PM.

I am "minding the store" in DWP's absence.

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Everyone had a good time last night. At dinner we talked about the book Founding Brothers, The Revolutionary Generation by Joseph Ellis.

James Madison is my new hero.

At dinner, we used 5 of my most splendid silver spoons to eat our main course. The spoons are 5 of 6 that I have that were made by Daniel Van Voorhis (1751-1824) and that I bought on 2/16/1981 for \$1,450 — (\$240+ per spoon). They're beautiful: downcurved handles, bird backs, engraved on front of handle [I<sup>B</sup>A]. They are

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at least 200 years old — and it was great fun to use them at dinner. They are splendid spoons and would be a welcomed addition to any museum's collection.

Each spoon has been struck twice:

DV One of the things that I must do is to prepare a museum catalogue of my most important pieces of American coin silver.



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# CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY and MUSEUM, INC.

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

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September 26, 2001

Dear Members and Friends:

Enclosed is a flyer and price sheet for **D&H Symposium II**, which will take place at Ladore Lodge in Waymart this November 16-18. This will be a very important event in the history of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad and northeastern Pennsylvania and the Carbondale Historical Society is very proud to be one of the sponsors of the event. Virtually all of the big names in the history of the D&H will be there. Make plans NOW to attend this important event.

Two other important historical events, in both of which the Historical Society will play an important role, are coming up in October. The first will take place on October 15, beginning at 7 P.M., in Council Chambers in City Hall. At that time, two more portraits of former Carbondale mayors (**Mayors Fey and Morrison**) will be unveiled in ceremonies that will take place at the beginning of the regular City Council meeting. You are cordially invited to attend these ceremonies.

The second event will take place on the following day, October 16, also in City Council Chambers, from 9 A.M. to noon. This event is a seminar titled **Historic Preservation: Growing Smarter by Preserving Your Community's Historic Assets**. This seminar is sponsored by the Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs, the Department of Community and Economic Development, the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, and Preservation Pennsylvania, Incorporated.

The Carbondale Historical Society will play a role in this seminar in that it will be my pleasure, as president of the Carbondale Historical Society, to welcome the participants at this seminar to City Hall (which was listed in the National Register of Historic Places, thanks to the efforts of the Historical Society). At the conclusion of the seminar, all interested persons will be given the opportunity to tour the Historical Society's rooms on the third floor of City Hall. We are very pleased that this seminar will take place in Carbondale. It's exactly the kind of event that should be taking place in Carbondale, the Pioneer City of Lackawanna County.

Make plans now to attend all three of these events.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell

September 26, 2001

Dear Mr. Campbell,

We are very pleased to have the framed picture of Frank Sheerer and his discharge certificate from the Civil War.

We very much appreciate your thoughtfulness and generosity in donating

these items to the Carbondale Historical Society. If you have any biographical information about your Civil War ancestor, we would be pleased to have a copy to keep in our Civil War files.

Sincerely yours,

J. Robert Powell, president

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Carbondale Historical Society  
P. O. Box 15/  
Carbondale, PA 18407



Mr. John Campbell  
606 50th ave.  
Tennare West

Bradenton, FL 34207



Prevent identity theft—protect your Social Security number

## Your Social Security Statement

Prepared especially for **Silas R. Powell**

August 23, 2001



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SILAS R. POWELL

RR 1 BOX 40

CARBONDALE PA 18407-9706

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See inside for your  
personal information →

### What Social Security Means to You

We're sending you this *Social Security Statement* to help you understand what Social Security means to you and your family. We hope you'll use it in planning your financial future. Each year, about three months before your birthday, we'll send you a new *Statement* showing your updated earnings record and your potential benefits.

Be sure to read this *Statement* carefully. If you think there may be a mistake, please let us know. That's important because your benefits will be based on our record of your lifetime earnings. Remember, the future's in your hands when you read your *Social Security Statement*.

#### **Social Security is for people of all ages...**

It can help you whether you're young or old, male or female, single or with a family. It's there for you when you retire, but it's more than a retirement program. Social Security can provide benefits if you become disabled and support your family when you die.

#### **Work to build a secure future...**

Social Security is the largest source of income for most elderly Americans and plays a major role in keeping them out of poverty. But Social Security can't do it all. Social Security was not intended to be the sole source of income when you retire. You'll also need a pension, savings or investments. Think of Social Security as a foundation on which to build your financial future.

#### **About Social Security's future...**

Will Social Security be there when you retire? Of course it will. But changes will be needed to meet the demands of the times. We're living longer and healthier lives, 79 million "baby boomers" are approaching retirement, and in about 30 years, there will be nearly twice as many older Americans as there are today.

Social Security now takes in more in taxes than it pays out in benefits. The excess funds are credited to Social Security's trust funds, which are expected to grow to over \$4 trillion before we need to use them to pay benefits. In 2016, we'll begin paying more in benefits than we collect in taxes. By 2038, the trust funds will be exhausted and the payroll taxes collected will be enough to pay only about 73 percent of benefits owed. We'll need to resolve long-range financial issues to make sure Social Security will provide a foundation of protection for future generations as it has done in the past.

#### **Social Security On The Net...**

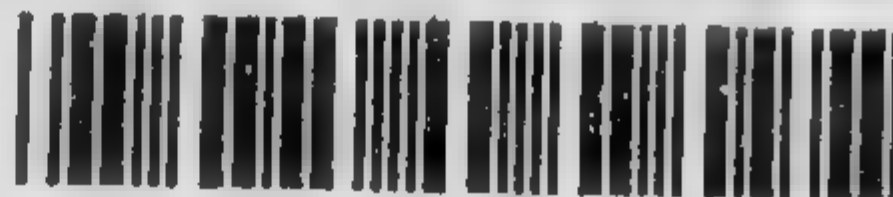
Be sure to visit [www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov) on the Internet to use the *Benefit Planners* to help you plan your financial future; calculate customized estimates of your future benefits; apply for retirement benefits; subscribe to *eNews* for up-to-date news about Social Security programs and benefits; and correct or change your name on your Social Security card or get a replacement card by requesting a form SS-5. We will continue to add online services to make it as easy and convenient as possible for you to do business with us.

Larry G. Massanari  
Acting Commissioner of Social Security

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(Para Solicitar Una Declaración en Español)



## ▼ Your Estimated Benefits

To qualify for benefits, you earn "credits" through your work — up to four each year. This year, for example, you earn one credit for each \$830 of wages or self-employment income. When you've earned \$3,320, you've earned your four credits for the year. Most people need 40 credits, earned over their working lifetime, to receive retirement benefits. For disability and survivors benefits, young people need fewer credits to be eligible.

We checked your records to see whether you have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. If you haven't earned enough yet to qualify for any type of benefits, we can't give you an estimate now. If you continue to work, we'll give you an estimate when you do qualify.

**What we assumed** — If you have enough work credits, we estimated your benefit amounts using your average earnings over your working lifetime. For 2001 and your earnings up to retirement, we assumed you'll continue to work and make about the same in future years as you did in 1999 or 2000. We also included credits we assumed you earned last year and this year.

We can't provide your actual benefit amount until you apply for benefits. **And that amount may differ from the estimates stated below because —**

- (1) Your earnings may increase or decrease over the years.
- (2) Your benefit figures shown here are only estimates based on current law. The laws governing benefit amounts may change because, by 2038, the payroll taxes collected will be enough to pay only about 73 percent of benefits owed.
- (3) Factors, such as **a pension for work not covered by Social Security, some military service or credit for railroad employment**, may affect your benefit amount.

Generally, estimates for older workers are more accurate than those for younger workers because they're based on a longer earnings history with fewer uncertainties, such as earnings fluctuations and future law changes.

These estimates are in today's dollars. As you receive benefits, they will be adjusted for cost-of-living increases.

- ▼ **Retirement** You have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. At your current earnings rate, if you stop working...
- At age 62, your payment would be about ..... \$ 615 a month
- If you continue working until...
- your full retirement age (66 years), your payment would be about ..... \$ 820 a month
- age 70, your payment would be about ..... \$ 1,082 a month
- Note:* When you continue working beyond your retirement age, your benefit may increase because of your additional earnings. If you delay receiving benefits until age 70, your benefit will increase because of the special credits you'll receive for delaying retirement. This increased benefit could be important to you later in life. It also could increase the future benefit amounts your family and survivors could receive.
- ▼ **Disability** You have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. If you become disabled right now...
- Your payment would be about ..... \$ 855 a month
- ▼ **Family** If you get retirement or disability benefits, your spouse and children may also qualify for benefits.
- ▼ **Survivors** You have earned enough credits for your family to receive the following benefits if you die this year.
- Total family benefits cannot be more than ..... \$ 1,458 a month
- Your child ..... \$ 643 a month
- Your spouse who is caring for your child ..... \$ 643 a month
- Your spouse who reaches full retirement age ..... \$ 857 a month
- Your spouse or minor child may be eligible for a special one-time death benefit of \$255.
- ▼ **Medicare** You have earned enough credits to qualify for Medicare at age 65. Even if you do not retire at age 65, be sure to contact Social Security three months before your 65th birthday to enroll in Medicare.

### We based your benefit estimates on these facts:

Your name ..... Silas R. Powell

Your date of birth ..... December 12, 1943

Your estimated taxable earnings per year after 2001 ..... \$6,654

Your Social Security number ..... 198-34-0586



## Help Us Keep Your Earnings Record Accurate

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You, your employer and Social Security share responsibility for the accuracy of your earnings record. Since you began working, we recorded your reported earnings under your name and Social Security number. We have updated your record each time your employer (or you, if you're self-employed) reported your earnings. Remember, it's your earnings, not the amount of taxes you paid or the number of credits you've earned, that determine your benefit amount. When we figure that amount, we base it on your average earnings over your lifetime. If our records are wrong, you may not receive all the benefits to which you are entitled.

▼ **Review this chart carefully** using your own records to make sure our information is correct and that we've recorded each year you worked. You're the only person who can look at the earnings chart and know whether it is complete.

Some or all of your earnings from **last year** may not be shown on your *Statement*. It could be that we were still processing last year's earnings reports

when your *Statement* was prepared. Your complete earnings for last year will be shown on next year's *Statement*. **Note:** If you worked for more than one employer during any year, or if you had both earnings and self-employment income, we combined your earnings for the year.

▼ **There's a limit on the amount of earnings on which you pay Social Security taxes each year.** The limit increases yearly. Only the maximum taxable amount will appear on your earnings chart. (For Medicare taxes, the maximum earnings amount began rising in 1991. Since 1994, **all** of your earnings are taxed for Medicare.)

▼ **Call us right away** at 1-800-772-1213 (7 a.m. — 7 p.m.) if any earnings for years **before last year** are shown incorrectly. If possible, have your W-2 or tax return for those years handy. (If you live outside the U.S., follow the directions at the bottom of Page 4.)

### Your Earnings Record at a Glance

Years You Worked	Your Taxed Social Security Earnings	Your Taxed Medicare Earnings	Years You Worked	Your Taxed Social Security Earnings	Your Taxed Medicare Earnings
1960	\$ 558		1980	\$ 19,727	\$ 19,727
1961	529		1981	23,060	23,060
1962	0		1982	26,465	26,465
1963	712		1983	12,406	12,406
1964	0	Medicare began	1984	720	720
1965	1,329	in 1966	1985	6,628	6,628
1966	686	\$ 686	1986	6,360	6,360
1967	0	0	1987	7,250	7,250
1968	0	0	1988	7,975	7,975
1969	0	0	1989	8,175	8,175
1970	4,285	4,285	1990	6,705	6,705
1971	6,731	6,731	1991	16,835	16,835
1972	2,060	2,060	1992	9,184	9,184
1973	0	0	1993	17,264	17,264
1974	1,099	1,099	1994	11,819	11,819
1975	2,725	2,725	1995	17,656	17,656
1976	6,094	6,094	1996	21,547	21,547
1977	7,782	7,782	1997	25,299	25,299
1978	0	0	1998	24,034	24,034
1979	9,488	9,488	1999	24,012	24,012
			2000	6,654	6,654

### Totals over your working career:

Estimated taxes for Social Security:

You paid: \$19,892

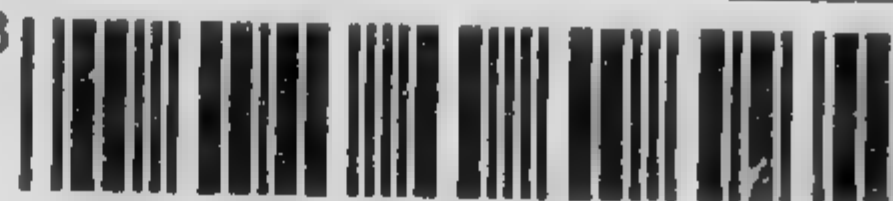
Your employers paid: \$19,540

Estimated taxes paid for Medicare:

You paid: \$4,495

Your employers paid: \$4,462

**Note: If you are self-employed, you pay the total tax on your net earnings.**





## Some Facts About Social Security

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### About Social Security and Medicare ...

Social Security pays retirement, disability, family and survivors benefits. Medicare, a separate program run by the Health Care Financing Administration, helps pay for inpatient hospital care, nursing care, doctors' fees and other medical services and supplies to people over 65 or to people who have received Social Security disability benefits for two years. Your Social Security covered earnings qualify you for both programs.

*Here are some facts about Social Security's benefits:*

- ▼ **Retirement** — If you were born before 1938, your full retirement age is 65. Because of a 1983 change in the law, the full retirement age will increase gradually to 67 for people born in 1960 or later.

Some people retire before their full retirement age. They can retire as early as age 62 and take their benefits at a reduced rate. Others continue working after their full retirement age. They receive higher benefits because of additional earnings and special credits for delayed retirement.

- ▼ **Disability** — If you become disabled before full retirement age, you can receive disability benefits after six months if you have:

- enough work credits before becoming disabled; and
- a physical or mental impairment that's expected to prevent you from doing "substantial" work for a year or more or result in death.

- ▼ **Family** — If you're eligible for disability or retirement benefits, your current or divorced spouse, minor children or adult children disabled before age 22 also may receive benefits. Each may qualify for up to 50 percent of your benefit amount. The total amount depends on how many family members qualify.

- ▼ **Survivors** — When you die, certain members of your family may be eligible for benefits:

- your spouse age 60 or older (50 or older if disabled, or any age if caring for your children under age 16); and
- your children if unmarried and under age 18, still in school and under age 19 or adult children disabled before age 22.

If you are divorced, your ex-spouse could be eligible for a widow's or widower's benefit on your record when you die.

### Receive benefits and still work...

You can continue to work and get retirement or survivors benefits. If you're under your full retirement age, there are limits on how much you can earn without losing some or all of your benefits. The limits change each year. When you apply for benefits, we'll tell you what the limits are at that time and whether work would affect your monthly benefits. When you reach full retirement age, the earnings limits no longer apply.

### Before you decide to retire ...

Think about your benefits for the long term. Everyone's situation is different. For example, be sure to consider the advantages and disadvantages of early retirement. If you choose to receive benefits before you reach full retirement age, your benefits will be permanently reduced. However, you'll receive benefits for a longer period of time.

To help you decide when is the best time for you to retire, we offer a free booklet, *Social Security — Retirement Benefits* (Publication No. 05-10035), that provides specific information about retirement.

There are other free publications that you may find helpful, including:

- ▼ *Basic Facts* (No. 05-10080) — basic facts about Social Security and how to get more information;
- ▼ *Understanding The Benefits* (No. 05-10024) — a general explanation of all Social Security benefits;
- ▼ *How Your Retirement Benefit Is Figured* (No. 05-10070) — an explanation of how you can calculate your benefit;
- ▼ *A Pension From Work Not Covered By Social Security* (No. 05-10045) — how it affects your retirement or disability benefits;
- ▼ *Government Pension Offset* (No. 05-10007) — explanation of a law that affects spouse's or widow(er)'s benefits; and
- ▼ *When Someone Misuses Your Number* (No. 05-10064) — what to do if you're a victim of identity theft.

We also have leaflets and factsheets with information about specific topics such as military service, self-employment or foreign employment. You can get our publications at [www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov) or by calling us at 1-800-772-1213.

**If you need more information or want to request this Statement in Spanish (*Para solicitar Su Declaración en español*)...**

Visit [www.ssa.gov/mystatement](http://www.ssa.gov/mystatement), call us at 800-772-1213 or write to Social Security Administration, Office of Earnings Operations, P.O. Box 33026, Baltimore, MD 21290-3026. If you're deaf or hard of hearing, call TTY 1-800-325-0778. If your address is incorrect on this Statement, ask the IRS to send you Form 8822. We don't keep your address if you're not receiving Social Security Benefits.

## Thinking Of Retiring? Consider Your Options.



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### What You Need To Consider

As you approach the age when you can receive Social Security retirement benefits, you have options to consider and decisions to make. Before making your retirement decision, we hope you will consider all the options.

There are important questions you need to ask yourself. At what age do you want to begin receiving benefits? Do you want to stop working and receive benefits? Do you want to work and receive benefits at the same time? Or do you want to work beyond your full retirement age and delay receiving benefits?

When you continue working beyond full retirement age, your benefit may increase because of your additional earnings. If you delay receiving benefits, your benefit will increase because of the special credits you will receive for delaying your retirement. This increased benefit could

be important to you later in your life. It also could increase the future benefit amounts your family and survivors could receive.

Each person's retirement situation is different. It depends on circumstances such as health, financial needs and obligations, family responsibilities, amount of income from work and other sources. It also may depend on the amount of your Social Security benefit.

I hope the following information will help you in considering your options in making a retirement decision.

### About The Options

**Retiring At Full Retirement Age**—To retire, you must have earned 40 credits. See the table below to determine your full retirement age.

Year of birth*	Full retirement age
1937 (or earlier)	65
1938	65 and 2 months
1939	65 and 4 months
1940	65 and 6 months
1941	65 and 8 months
1942	65 and 10 months
1943-1954	66
1955	66 and 2 months
1956	66 and 4 months
1957	66 and 6 months
1958	66 and 8 months
1959	66 and 10 months
1960	67

\*Refer to the previous year if you were born on January 1.

**Retiring Early**—If you've earned 40 credits, you can start receiving Social Security benefits at 62 or at any month between 62 and full retirement age. However, your benefits will be permanently reduced based on the number of months you receive benefits before you reach full retirement age. If you retire before your full retirement age of 65, your benefits will be reduced:

20 percent at age 62;  
13  $\frac{1}{3}$  percent at age 63; or  
6  $\frac{2}{3}$  percent at age 64.

If your full retirement age is 66, they will be reduced:

25 percent at age 62;  
20 percent at age 63;  
13  $\frac{1}{3}$  percent at age 64; or  
6  $\frac{2}{3}$  percent at age 65.

**Receiving Retirement Benefits While You Work**—You can work while receiving monthly benefits. And it could mean a higher benefit that can be important to you later in your life



and increase the future benefits your family and survivors could receive.

We'll review your record each year to see whether the additional earnings will increase your monthly benefit. If there's an increase, we'll send you a notice of your new benefit amount. Earnings in or after the month you reach full retirement age won't reduce your Social Security benefits. However, if you receive benefits before reaching your full retirement age, your benefit amount will be reduced.

- In the year you reach full retirement age, but before your birth month, \$1 in benefits will be deducted for each \$3 you earn above the annual limit (\$17,000 in 2000, \$25,000 in 2001, \$30,000 in 2002). For example, if you reach full retirement age in June 2001 and continue to work, your benefits for January through May will be reduced \$1 for each \$3 you earn above \$25,000. After that, **your benefits will not be reduced, no matter how much you earn.**
- In the years before you reach full retirement age, \$1 in benefits will be deducted for each \$2 you earn above the limit (\$10,080 in 2000 and rises each year).

If you lose benefits because of work, your benefit will be increased later to account for the months you didn't receive a benefit before reaching full retirement age.

**Delaying Retirement**—You may decide to continue working beyond your full retirement age without choosing to receive benefits. If so, your benefit will be increased by a certain percentage for each month you don't receive benefits between your full retirement age and age 70. This table shows the rate your benefits increase if you delay retiring.

Year of birth	Yearly Increase Rate
1929 - 1930	4.5%
1931 - 1932	5%
1933 - 1934	5.5%
1935 - 1936	6%
1937 - 1938	6.5%
1939 - 1940	7%
1941 - 1942	7.5%
1943-or later	8%

7. **Applying For Social Security Retirement Benefits And Medicare**—It's best to contact Social Security three months before the month in which you want to file for retirement benefits to discuss the options that are available to you. In

some cases, your choice of retirement month could mean additional benefits for you and your family.

Even if you don't plan to receive benefits because you'll continue working, you should sign up for Medicare three months before reaching age 65. Otherwise, your Medicare medical insurance (Part B) could be delayed and you could be charged a higher premium.

**How To Apply For Retirement Benefits**—You can file your retirement claim on the Internet at [www.ssa.gov/planners](http://www.ssa.gov/planners) or by calling 1-800-772-1213 between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Be sure to have these items handy: your Social Security number, birth certificate, W-2 forms or self-employment tax return for last year, and your bank name and account number so your benefits can be deposited directly into your account. You also can file your claim at any Social Security office.

If you're deaf or hard of hearing, call 1-800-325-0778 between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday through Friday to file your claim.

In addition to the information listed above, you will need—

- Your military discharge papers if you had military service;
- Your spouse's birth certificate and Social Security number and your marriage certificate if he or she is applying for benefits; and
- Proof of U.S. citizenship or lawful alien status if you were not born in the U.S.

You will need to mail or deliver original documents or copies that have been certified by the issuing office to a Social Security office.

**Need More Information**—You also have options for getting information about Social Security and retirement. When you visit our website, [www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov), click on the Benefits Planners to estimate your Social Security benefits, find answers to frequently asked questions about Social Security, learn about factors that could affect your benefits and much more. And you can get information about Social Security by visiting a local Social Security office or by calling 1-800-772-1213.

You also can print these publications from our website.

- *Retirement* (Publication No. 05-10035);
- *How Your Retirement Benefit is Figured* (Publication No. 05-10070); and
- *How Work Affects Your Benefits* (Publication No. 05-10069).



1943

Corrections - Page 4  
of the Schaffer family  
Paul Merwin Schaffer

Correction: Linda June Schaffer  
Mr & Mrs Charles R. Canfield.

### Mailing List

Pg 14 (Elizabeth Coney)  
Mr & Mrs Charles Henry Guther) Am sure they are all deceased  
Pg 15 Mr & Mrs George Bayel.

If the Richard Bayel is son of Bill's Ann Bayel <sup>Page 2</sup> he recently died.  
I can't see where they are related. Mrs George <sup>Page 2</sup> was  
Mildred Cook. (Her sister Bertha was Mrs John Bayel, deceased)

Add.  
Henry David Schaffer  
158 Kenwood Drive  
Levittown, Pa. 19055

Thanks so much for the newsletter. I can't  
hear well and the letter fills me in. I wish  
I did know who John Cook was. I knew his parents  
Pearl & Lester Cook and my son David met up with  
him in the Navy & they discovered they knew  
people in the Curtis Valley Area & were  
relation (Briwolds)!

I enjoyed Marjorie Rude Cook's letter. She  
was 4-Hers together as well as bible school.  
Her father & my mother were "Curtis Cousins"!

I wish there was a way to know what  
branch of the family people are from. I used to  
know everybody but each generation adds new last  
names. There are quite a few with both  
maternal & paternal connections. I enjoy the  
mailing list.

1944

My first memory of the Russell Homestead was when we had a neighbor with many children who were 4-Hers who had been fired from working on the farm for accepting commission from dealers on farm equipment. The boss thought they didn't need it & sent it back. This was in the 1950s.

I wrote to Francis Curtis & told him I thought his remarriage & daughter was great. Carol called him on the phone & gave him heck because he hadn't told us. My daughter wrote him while he was in the service & we had kept in touch. He started his teaching career locally & he came here to unwind!

Between you & me.

Robert:

Thanks for hosting of the Griswold Reunion & for the excellent records & leadership you provide. It's the greatest. What Memories!

Sincerely,  
Cousin

Bertrude Loomis Schaffer.

Rec'd  
9/26/01

1945

To Whom it May Concern,

I am working on a project in conjunction with the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania relating to the 1930 census which will be released in the near future. This census is not indexed for Pennsylvania at this point. City directories could be a valuable resource to help locate the place of residence of a person or family in that time frame, therefore serving as a finding aid for the location of that person/family in the census.

We would like to include your organization in this publication as a source for any and all city directories you may have in this time frame of 1929/1930/1931. This will be a list of organizations noting their available city directories for sources of research. I have listed a few questions below to make this as simple as possible. I am attempting to gather responses to this e-mail by September 30, 2001 to allow enough time for inclusion in this publication.

You are welcome to respond to this e-mail by simply replying to it or mailing the information to me at the address below. If you have any questions regarding this, you are welcome to call me at 717 838-4162 or e-mailing me at [work-work-work@msn.com](mailto:work-work-work@msn.com).

Thank you so much in advance for your help with this project.

Sherrie Yuhas  
Professional Genealogist  
15 Palmyra Bellegrove Road  
Annville, PA 17003

QUESTIONS:

Name of your Organization:

Address of your Organization:

Contact name (not for publication-to be used if I have any questions regarding this information):

Telephone number (see above-not for publication):

Website (optional):

Please list the directories including the following information -

Year 1929, 1930, 1931 or combination (please state):

City or cities included in the directory (please state):

Type of directory (i.e. Boyd's, Polk's, etc-please state):

Any additional information which you believe might be helpful:

Once again, thank you so much for your time and effort with this response!



1946

From: "s robert powell" <srobertpowell@juno.com> [\[Save Address\]](#)

To: work-work-work@msn.com

Cc:

Subject: 1929-31 city directories

Date: Fri, 28 Sep 2001 00:35:51 +0800

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09-27-01

Sherrie:

"Honesdale, Hawley, White Mills DIRECTORY 1931," Calkin Kelly Directory Co, Binghamton, NY

"Polk's Carbondale City Directory, 1931-32, Including Simpson and Childs"

S. Robert Powell, President  
Carbondale Historical Society  
One North Main Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

From: Annmarie P Margotta <annmargotta@juno.com> [Save Address]

To: srobertpowell@juno.com, bpetrini@harcourtbrace.com  
Cc:  
Subject:  
Date: Mon, 24 Sep 2001 08:39:42 -0400

1947

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Hi Beverly and Robert,

The trip to Italy has been postponed until May 20, 2002.  
However, Ginger decided she need a well deserved vacation  
so she is off this week. We are going to Cape Cod the end of  
the week.

The members of the calligrapher's guild have voted to keep the trip to  
NYC -  
the Cloisters and St. Frances Cabrini shrine then off to the Met.  
on Saturday; October 20 Includes a guided tour of the Cloisters.  
Cost \$40. Leaves Marywood at 7am and leaves NYC at 7pm.  
I will give you the final particulars for parking when we confirm our  
reservations.

I have our seats on hold. Ginger and I are definitely going.  
Your check confirms your reservations. Please contact me with you  
decision  
and if yes, send a check made out to the  
Calligrapher's Guild  
c/o Joanne Bosak  
1012 Olive Street  
Scranton, PA 18510

From: "s robert powell" <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Save Address]

To: annmargotta@juno.com  
Cc:  
Subject: Calligraphy  
Date: Fri, 28 Sep 2001 00:29:01 +0800

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09-27-01

Annmarie/Ginger:

Hope your trip to Cape Cod was wonderful. Weather has been a bit cool here so it must have been  
very breezy at the water's edge.

I can't make the New York trip on October 20. About a year ago, I was asked to judge the Yankee  
Classic (a two-day poultry show in Syracuse, NY) on October 20-21.

I wish I could make the trip to New York. It sounds like it should be a wonderful day. Such a trip to New  
York would be good for me, personally. Maybe just being in New York would help me through the  
horrible, empty, sick-to-my-stomach feeling that I have had since September 11.

Hope to see you before too long.

Thanks again for the invitation.

Robert

CARBONDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY

5 NORTH MAIN STREET  
CARBONDALE, PENNSYLVANIA 18407  
TELEPHONE: (570) 282-4281  
FAX: (570) 282-7031  
EMAIL: caradmin@albright.org

1948

September 13, 2001

Board of Directors  
Carbondale Public Library  
Carbondale PA 18407

Dear Board Member:

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on  
Tuesday, September 18, at 7:30 P.M. at the library.

The agenda will include an update of our mortgage situation.

We will hear a report from the committee planning the upcoming  
Dinner/Theater production. Other committee reports will be given.

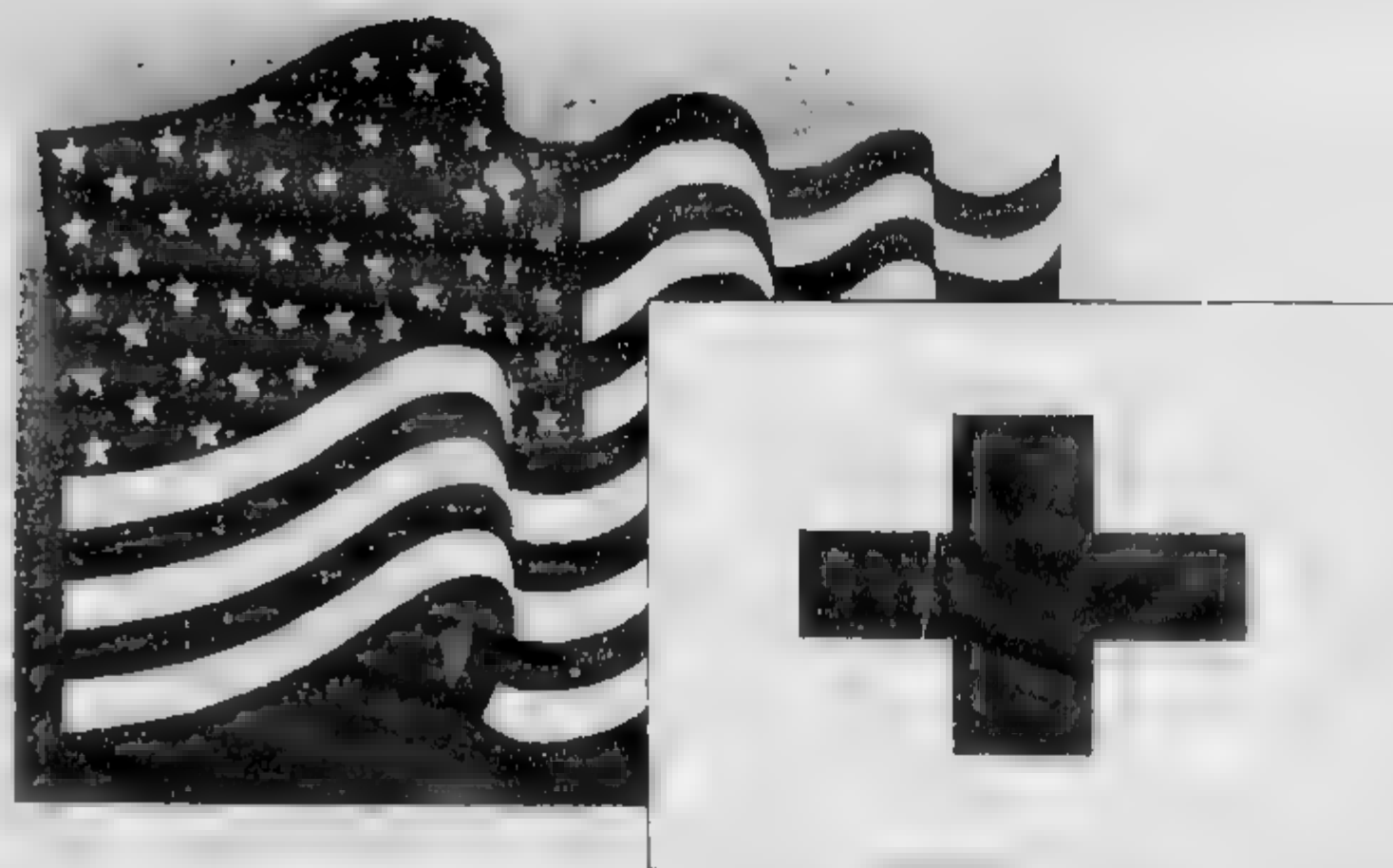
Please plan to attend.

Sincerely,



Martin Langan  
President  
Carbondale Library Association





1949

Proceeds to  
Benefit the  
National Disaster Relief  
Fund  
of the  
**American Red Cross**

## **"A Tribute to America"**

Our Small Community would like to show our respect to this great country of ours and  
all the families and friends effected by this terrible disaster with

**"A Tribute to America".**

**Friday September 28, 2001**

**6:00pm.**

**7-7th Ave Parking Lot of Old Laurstan Building**

**Future Home of Carbondale Chamber of Commerce**

**And The Anthracite Historical Discovery Center (At the railroad tracks before Ames Plaza- 7th Avenue)**

**A Small Ceremony of The Local Veterans Raising the Flag,  
Firing Salute and Taps.**

**(A Tribute to America, this great Country of ours and the respect and symbolism of what the  
American flag means to all Americans).**

**A Small Ceremony of a Candle Service**

**(The evenings Ceremony will close with a candle service, a moment of silence and prayer  
for the Families and Friends, Policeman and Fireman whose lives were cut short by this terrible act of terrorism).**

**American Flags**

**The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts and Cub Scouts of America**

**will help distribute Small American Flags for a Donation of \$2.00 or more.**

**All Donations of the evening will Benefit the National Disaster Relief Fund of the American Red Cross.**

**(We have several hundred flags ordered but due to brisk sales with all flag companies the shipment will not be guaranteed by this date).**

**Please come join us in this Tribute**

**Invite, Family and Friends.**

**Sponsored By**

**Local VFW Chapters and American Legions**

**The Greater Carbondale Area Chamber of Commerce**

**1 North Main Street - City Hall**

**Carbondale, Pa. 18407**

**For more details Please call:**

**570-282-1690**

Morgan Stanley

September 2001

Dear Valued Client:

On Tuesday September 11<sup>th</sup>, many of us who worked at The World Trade Center returned home to our loved ones.

Sadly, all of us did not.

They were the innocent victims of what will certainly be characterized as one of the most tragic events in American history.

At Morgan Stanley, our first priority has been, and always will be, our people. What happened that day was not a financial tragedy, but a human one. We are committed to helping each and every one of our employees recover from the emotional toll of this horrible event.

Our heartfelt thoughts and prayers are with those who have suffered the devastating loss of a loved one. These husbands, wives, children and friends of ours will never be forgotten. We must never forget the courage of hundreds of firefighters, police officers and emergency medical people. We mourn their loss and extend our hand to all those in need of our help.

We will go on. We are a company built on strength. Strength of resources. But even more important, strength of character.

→ Our assets and all of our clients' assets are completely safe. Our business systems and operations are up and running. And we are committed to giving you the same superior level of service you expect from Morgan Stanley.

We are grateful for the support of so many individuals and companies during this tragedy. We are glad to have you as our client, and look forward to continuing to serve you.

We urge anyone who has concerns or questions to call their Financial Advisor or 1-866-688-8555. You can also visit [morganstanley.com](http://morganstanley.com). If you would like to help the victims more directly, please ask us about The Morgan Stanley Victims Relief Fund.



Philip J. Purcell  
Chairman &  
Chief Executive Officer



Robert G. Scott  
President &  
Chief Operating Officer

I am very pleased to receive  
this statement from MSOW  
telling us that all is well.  
I think there were about  
30 floors of <sup>MS</sup> DW in one of  
the towers of the World  
Trade Center.

1950

1951

## D&H HERITAGE SYMPOSIUM II

November 16, 17 & 18, 2001

Ladore Lodge-Waymart, PA 18472

Name S. Robert Lowell

Address RD #1 Box 40

Carlisle, Pa 18407-9706

### Reservation Confirmation

Your reservation is for

Double Occupancy/2 nights/2 persons \_\_\_\_\_

Double Occupancy/1 night/2 person \_\_\_\_\_

Single Occupancy/2 nights \_\_\_\_\_

Single Occupancy/1 night \_\_\_\_\_

(Includes all meals for 2 nights, 3 meals for 1 night)

### Day Attendees

Friday night dinner/program \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday night dinner/program \_\_\_\_\_

All day Saturday including evening \_\_\_\_\_

All sessions and all meals \$100.00

Bus trip-Sunday-\$5 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Conference fee (\$40 early bird or \$50) \_\_\_\_\_

Total Received \$ 100.00

*We would like to welcome you to Waymart and the Salvation Army  
Ladore Lodge and Conference Center. Ladore Lodge is smoke free  
and no alcoholic beverages are allowed on premises.*

*If you wish to contact the committee, call or write Jane Varcoe,  
PO Box A, Waymart, PA 18472 (570) 488-6750*

*janev@socantel.net*



Tom Fontana:

1952  
Hand delivered  
to the news at 430PM  
on 10/3/01

It would be very nice to see this release in next week's (October 10) *Carbondale News*. Nancy Perri or I can provide you with additional information if you need more.

As always, we appreciate your continued support of the many historic events that take place in "the Pioneer City."

S. Robert

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### **Historic Preservation Seminar Set for Carbondale**

A three-hour seminar that will introduce the basic tools necessary to capitalize on the historic assets of a community will take place in Carbondale City Hall on Tuesday, October 16, beginning at 9 A.M. The seminar is titled "Historic Preservation: Growing Smarter by Preserving Your Community's Historic Assets."

This seminar is sponsored by The Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs, the Department of Community

and Economic Development, the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission (PHMC), and Preservation Pennsylvania, Incorporated.

Seminar participants will learn to identify historic resources in the community and how to implement a preservation program. In addition, they will learn about federal and state historic preservation programs and grants as well as the specific federal and state agencies and organizations that provide assistance for historic preservation. Finally, seminar participants will learn about federal and state historic preservation laws and regulations.

Among the instructors who participate in this program throughout the Commonwealth are Kurt W. Carr, Chief of Archaeology and Protection in the Bureau for Historic Preservation (BHP) of the PHMC. Other personnel from the BHP who participate in this program are Mark D. Shaffer, Noel Strattan, Michael R. Lefevre, Susan Zacher and Ann Safley.

Nancy Perri, the director of the Economic and Community Development program in Carbondale remarked: "This is a very good opportunity for Carbondale to learn how to protect our community's important historic assets. Heritage tourism is important. It contributes billions of dollars in tax revenues, jobs, and investment. Tourism is Pennsylvania's second most important economic engine, second only to agriculture."

1954

At the beginning of the seminar, S. Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society will welcome the seminar participants to Carbondale City Hall, which is listed in the National Register of Historic Places, and invite all interested persons to visit, at the conclusion of the seminar, the Society's exhibition rooms on the third floor of City Hall.

"Historic preservation," noted Powell, is a very important opportunity for Carbondale. We have a long and distinguished history and there is a lot that we can do to capitalize on that heritage. Anthracite mining and the railroads put Carbondale on the map almost 200 years ago, and we have an important story to tell here in Carbondale. We are very pleased that this seminar will take place here in the Pioneer City."

The registration fee for this seminar is \$30 per person, which includes course materials and refreshments. When asked who should attend this seminar, Nancy Perri remarked: "The seminar will be most helpful and useful to elected officials, municipal staff persons, economic development specialists, and anyone interested in learning how to revitalize commercial and residential districts using a historic preservation approach."

For additional information on this seminar, contact Nancy Perri in Carbondale City Hall or Michel R. Lefevre, the Coordinator for Community Preservation at the PHMC, at 717-787-0771.

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# CHAPS



1955

## CANAAN HERITAGE AND AGRICULTURAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY

P. O. Box 525, Waymart, PA 18472-0525

President

Vice-President/  
Treasurer

Secretary

Advisory Board

To neighbors and friends of the Greater Canaan Area:

If you value the Agricultural Heritage of the Historic Canaan Area of Wayne County, and you would like to do something about its preservation, NOW is the time to become part of CHAPS, a new, broad-based organization dedicated to this effort. The Mission and Goals of CHAPS are found in the accompanying Flyer. This may be the last opportunity to save a significant piece of this Heritage.

CHAPS is now in the formation stage and invites membership at three levels:

**ACTIVE:** If you would like to take part in the formation of the Society, refinement of its Mission and Goals, and determination of its policies and procedures, we invite you to become an **ACTIVE MEMBER**. These members will serve as Officers, Trustees, and Committee Chairs and Members.

**ADVISORY:** If you have talents and interests in specific areas which can support or enhance the Mission and Goals of the Society, or aid in the on-going organization, we would welcome you as an **ADVISORY MEMBER**. In addition to lending their names in support of CHAPS, Advisory Members will work with Trustees, Officers, and Committees, in their area of expertise.

**SUPPORTING:** For those who would like to support the Mission and Goals of CHAPS, and want to be kept informed of the activities of the Society, we would welcome you as a **SUPPORTING MEMBER**. We realize that everyone can't be an active member in every organization, but we look for Supporting Membership by the other Wayne County historic, civic, business, governmental and political organizations .....and their members.

Please see the Flyer for an application and for further information.

Rod Brown, WCHS; Jane Varcoe, WAHS; S. Robert Powell, CHS:  
for CHAPS Organizing Committee. Information: R.B. 570 488-6756  
*Board of Trustees*

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.....Supporting Members.....



# CHAPS

1956

## CANAAN HERITAGE AND AGRICULTURAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY

CHAPS' mission is to preserve the records, artifacts and buildings, along with the stories of individuals and families, associated with the extensive agricultural heritage of the original, historic Canaan region of Wayne County. This region spawned Waymart Borough and part of Prompton Borough, and the Townships of Canaan, South Canaan and Clinton, and part of Cherry Ridge Township.

The ultimate goal is to establish a "Museum of Agriculture in the Canaan Area".  
The Museum will:

1. Serve as a center for the collection of the records of institutions, events, individuals, and places associated with farming in the Canaan Region and as a repository for agricultural equipment and other artifacts.
2. Include a working, "hands-on", museum-farm which will demonstrate the farming techniques and equipment used over the 19'th and 20'th centuries, plus modern farming methods.
3. Serve as an educational resource for historic and modern farming.

The immediate goal of CHAPS is to preserve the historic Farview Agricultural Complex in the Canaan Township/Waymart Area. This extensive complex of brick barns and other buildings was part of one of the first institutional farms established by Pennsylvania for the dual purpose of providing therapy and food for the inmates, and is the last remaining of this type of farm.

Since it was part of the Farview State Hospital for the Criminally Insane, which is eligible for listing in the National Historic Register, the Agricultural Complex is available under the terms of the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) which covers mitigation for the impact of the new Federal Prison on local historic sites.

CHAPS is presently in the formation stage and welcomes Active, Advisory or Supporting Membership of anyone interested in preserving the agricultural history of Wayne County. If you can, a donation, at any level, to cover initial costs for printing, mailing, etc., would be greatly appreciated.

Rod Brown, WCHS; Jane Varcoe, WAHS; S. Robert Powell, CHS; MOA Reps.

TO JOIN: CHAPS  
Mail form P. O. Box 525  
below to: Waymart, PA 18472-0525

INFORMATION: Rod Brown  
Ph.: 570 488-6756; Fax: 488-6944  
e-m: [fcsbrown@socantel.net](mailto:fcsbrown@socantel.net)

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### CHAPS Membership Form

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Ph./e-m: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP CLASS: Active\_\_ Advisory\_\_ Supporting\_\_ Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SP. INTERESTS/TALENTS: \_\_\_\_\_ REMARKS: ↓



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1957

Griswold Family Association, annual meeting, Wethersfield, C.T. Got up at 5 AM + quickly did my morning barn chores and left home at 5:45 AM. Four hours - and 200 miles - later I arrived at the First Church of Christ in Wethersfield. Trip up was long enough (84N - 691E - 91N) even though the weather was rainy and windy for the first couple of hours. I stopped at least three times for 15-minutes each. It was more or less like going to an early-AM poultry show. The registration / reception was in high gear when I arrived and I was cordially welcomed by Jack Griswold, Janet Mann, Barbara Ryan, and several others. John + Amy Pude were there as were Francis Curtis (age about 65+) and



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1958

his new wife (a teenager, I think) and their new baby! I'm not sure I approve of the marriage, at any rate, very nice morning refreshments were available.

The annual business meeting began at 10 AM in Keith Jones Hall of the Church. In the course of the meeting, under the very capable direction of Jack Griswood (he & his wife live in the Michael Griswood house in Wetherfield — begun in 1690; given to GFA by Mary Griswood in 1939). I learned

- the GFA webpage has had over 11,000 "hits" so far
- the GFA has just published "the 6th & 7th generations of the Edward & Matthew Griswood



10-06-01-3

1959

line; 735 pages; 300 hard bound  
copies purchased by GFA; pre-publi-  
cation price of \$60; post-pub. price  
of \$65; hard cover. The  
Michael Grunwald line will be  
published in 2002 and is  
expected to be 700+ pages in  
length.

— there is \$387,000+ in the  
GFA endowment fund, reported  
Jack Hooten, GFA treasurer  
(70% bonds, 29% stocks, 1%  
money market fund); the  
GFA is 501(c)7

— \$2,500 given in GFA scholar-  
ships annually, usually to  
two or three applicants; 4  
people have applied this year

-- GFA single annual membership  
raised to \$20; family \$30, \$50 life



10-06-01-4

1960

— I was asked to report on the  
2001 NEPA Reunion and did so.  
Gave BFA Copies of Volume I,  
number 1; Volume II, number 2;  
and Volume III, number 2 of  
Northeastern Pennsylvania;  
also copies of all our local  
Griswold newsletters from  
the very beginning:

- Clinton Center Pioneer Day  
and Griswold Reunion  
Newsletter - Volume I,  
numbers 1, 2, 3, & 4
- Griswold Reunion Newsletter,  
Volume I, numbers 5, 6, 7, 8,  
9, and 10

as of }  
7-31-99 }

also a copy of the complete  
list of descendants of John  
Griswold & Elizabeth Crittenden  
They were received with much